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MUCH GROUND FOR RAILWAYS

President Hays' Proposal for Utilization of False Creek Flats

MIGHT BE USED BY SEVERAL ROADS

Completion of G. T. Pacific Depends on Solution of Labor Problem

Vancouver, Aug. 18.—Though President Hays, of the Grand Trunk Pacific, and L. P. Gilman, of the Great Northern, are in Vancouver today, no official conference on the terminal site question has been held with the city officials following the meeting of last night.

President Hays donned a pair of wading boots this morning and tramped around the mud flats of False Creek. He believes that the city should fill the entire basin at the east end of False Creek, two hundred and twenty acres in extent, and rent or otherwise dispose of the property to the various railways for terminals. He believes that the Harriman lines as well as the Grand Trunk Pacific, Milwaukee, Northwestern and others will all come to False Creek.

President Hays announced today that if the labor question is solved his railway will be completed to Prince Rupert on time in 1911.

Sir Charles Rivers-Wilson, President Hays and other officials will leave tonight for Prince Rupert, where a banquet is being arranged in their honor. The Mayor stated this morning that there was every probability should the council accept the general terms of the proposition submitted by the Great Northern Railway last night, that the details would be worked out to shape so that the bylaw covering the matter could be submitted to the council at the poll which will be held this fall on money bylaws for the Cambie street bridge and other public works.

FORT WILLIAM STRIKE

Members of Board of Investigation Are Named by Two Parties to Dispute

Ottawa, Aug. 18.—F. A. Acland, deputy minister of labor, who is now in Fort William in connection with the dispute between the Canadian Pacific Railway company and its freight handlers in that place, has wired Hon. Mackenzie King, minister of labor, stating that he has been in conference with the parties concerned, and that the employees have nominated Frederick Urry, secretary of the trades and labor council of Fort William, as one of the members of the board of conciliation and investigation which is to be established in this matter. The Canadian Pacific Railway company, on its part, has recommended W. J. Christie, of Winnipeg. Mr. Christie has already had experience on boards in connection with the dispute between the Winnipeg Street Railway company and its employees, and the dispute between the Canadian Northern Railway company and its maintenance of way employees. Mr. Urry and Mr. Christie will select a chairman of the board.

ELECTRICITY'S DANGER

Ten People Killed and Twenty Injured in Italian Town Through Wire Breaking

Lecco, Italy, Aug. 18.—Through the breaking of a highly-charged electric light wire at Olgrate tonight, which created a short circuit and set on fire the insulation in all houses supplied with the current, ten persons were killed and twenty seriously injured by ignoring the danger and attempting to extinguish the fires or cut off the current at the switches. The fire brigade from Lecco was summoned to extinguish numerous fires that started as a result of the short circuiting of the wires.

Battleship Stranded

Sheerness, Eng., Aug. 18.—The British first-class battleship Agamemnon stranded tonight on the Long Sande range while engaged in target practice. Tugs have gone to her assistance.

Killed by Lightning

Trinidad, Colo., Aug. 18.—Charles Taft, a cousin of President Taft, was killed at Prior, Colo., today by lightning.

Shot in Strike Riot

Pittsburg, Aug. 18.—One man was shot and slightly injured and two others injured as a result of trouble between state constabulary and alleged strike sympathizers at Schoenville tonight.

Invited by Kaiser

Constantinople, Aug. 18.—Scheffert Pasha, commander of the first, second and third army corps, has accepted an invitation of Emperor William to assist in the approaching German army manoeuvres.

Lucania Afloat Again

Liverpool, Aug. 18.—The Cunard line steamer Lucania, which was damaged here by fire on Tuesday, and was sunk in order to extinguish the flames, was refloated today and is in readiness for removal to the drydock to determine whether she will be again placed in the ranks of the first-class liners of the Cunard company.

BRITISH ASSOCIATION

Assistant Secretary and Chief Clerk Arrive at Winnipeg to Make Preparations

Winnipeg, Aug. 18.—As an advance guard of the British Association there arrived in the city yesterday, O. J. R. Howarth, M.A., assistant secretary, and H. C. Stewardson, chief clerk and assistant treasurer, both of Burlington House, London, the classic home of the British association.

Mr. Howarth is accompanied by Mrs. Howarth, and both are the guests of Archbishop Matheson, to whom Mrs. Howarth is related.

Mr. Howarth succeeded A. Silva White a few months ago in the assistant secretaryship. Mr. Stewardson is at the Coronation Hotel. H. C. Stewardson, chief clerk and assistant treasurer, has been with the British Association for 38 years, or since the meeting of 1871 at Edinburgh. He has never missed a meeting of the association.

Killed by Baseball

Brantford, Ont., Aug. 18.—Gesse Cauma, an Indian, aged 27 years, was struck on the head by a ball and fatally injured in a baseball game on the reserve. He died shortly afterwards.

P. E. Island's Wish

Charlottetown, P. E. I., Aug. 18.—At the Maritime Board of Trade convention today a resolution was adopted demanding that the Dominion government give the Tatamagouche-Brule route a test with the new ice-breaker, Earl Grey.

Dies From Lightning Stroke

Edmonton, Aug. 18.—Edward Burdette of the firm of Burdette and Taylor, Lloydminster, who was struck by lightning on the side hill near the Edmonton club, on 2nd July last, passed away at Exboro, Mass., on Monday, as the result of the severe shock which he underwent. Mr. Burdette was able to leave the hospital only a week or two ago. He was thought to be fully recovered, but later proceeded east, hoping that the change would benefit his health, which gradually became worse until the end came on Monday.

MANY CAUGHT IN BRIDGE RUIN

Collapse of Structure Over Chicago River Places Lives in Danger

Chicago, Aug. 18.—Ten persons were seriously injured, and twenty others narrowly escaped tonight, when 250 feet of the Twelfth street bridge over the Chicago river collapsed.

None were killed, so far as is known. The bridge was closed for construction work on the western approach, and for work on a railroad viaduct underneath. The accident occurred just after a street car had run part way across the bridge, and thirty passengers had alighted to walk over the dangerous portion to take another car.

The passengers were hurrying in a huddled group, when there was a rumbling, followed by a crash, and the footway sank beneath them, carrying many to the pits below. Many escaped by clinging to side timbers. These, with the car crews, began work of rescue, and most of the injured were taken out before the police ambulances came. Several suffered broken legs, arms and internal injuries. Traffic on three railroads was delayed for an hour by the accident.

ROBBER SHOT

Colorado Springs Hotel Clerk Has Desperate Encounter With Two Bandits

Colorado Springs, Colo., Aug. 18.—Two men early today made an unsuccessful attempt to rob the safe in the office of the Cliffe House at Manitou. James Morrow, the day clerk, shot one of the men, Edward Clark, through the head, fatally wounding him, and received a bullet through his clothing. The other robber escaped, but was captured. He gave his name as Petro Webster.

Webster and Clark, who had been working at the hotel as firemen, attempted to break into the safe, and forced him at the point of a revolver to accompany them to the office. They ordered him to open the safe. One of the robbers laid a revolver on a desk. Morrow jumped for the weapon and fired at the men. An exchange of shots followed, during which Morrow shot Clark through the head. A bullet pierced the clerk's shirt without touching the flesh. The two men then fled, followed shortly by citizens. They were captured near Colorado Springs.

MR. HARRIMAN

Railway Magnate Says His Health Is Better—Boards Steamer Without Assistance

Cherbourg, Aug. 18.—"Now I am better. My cure is finishing, and I am very glad I am going to see the soil of America again. My only hope is that the voyage back will be as good as that coming over."

These words were spoken tonight by E. H. Harriman, the American financier, in reply to a question concerning his health, just as he was boarding a tender which had been especially assigned to convey him and his party from Cherbourg to the anchorage in the roadstead of the steamer Kaiser Wilhelm II, which will convey Mr. Harriman to New York. The steamer started on its journey late tonight. Mr. Harriman's special train, which left Paris at 11 o'clock this morning, did not arrive until 7 o'clock this evening, being forced to reduce its speed on account of the slowness of the regular train preceding it, the locomotive of which was out of order. Mr. Harriman, although pale and feeble, declined assistance on descending to the platform and walked without assistance aboard the steamer.

B.C. CANNERS UP IN ARMS

Propose to Call Attention to Illegal Acts of Puget Sound Trapmen

CLOSE SEASON IS UTTERLY IGNORED

Fraser River Pack Up to Date Amounts to Only 330,000 Cases

Vancouver, Aug. 18.—It is learned today in salmon packing circles that Fraser river fishermen and packing interests have become so exasperated through the failure of sockeye salmon to reach the river this year because of the alleged incessant and illegal operation of American traps, that at last they intend to take action to bring matter to issue.

It is asserted by those who are closely watching these developments, that in all probability the cannery fishermen on the Fraser will prepare the evidence, and have against the American trapmen and lay it before the Dominion government, with the request that immediate action be taken to bring the charges to the attention of Washington, through the medium of the international fisheries commission, which is composed of Professor Prince for Canada and Dr. David Starr Jordan for the United States.

Canadian packers are not certain, however, that the United States federal authorities will be able to bring the Sound trapmen to time, because the fisheries laws in the state of Washington are enforced by the state authorities, and the officials are very jealous of federal interference. In their stand against any dictation from Washington, the state fisheries officials are, it is said, backed up by the Sound cannery and fish owners.

It is stated that Professor Prince, Dominion fisheries commissioner, made a tour of a number of American fish traps on Puget Sound last Sunday, and found truth in the charges made by Canadian fishermen to the effect that American traps did not observe the weekly close seasons.

At the present time the estimated pack on the Fraser river is 330,000 cases of fish, against a Puget Sound pack of 650,000 cases. The open season for sockeyes on the Fraser river will end in one week, and during that time there are but five and a half days' fishing, and it was declared today by cannery men that it would be impossible for the pack to exceed 400,000, or just half what was prepared for, by the end of the season.

Tomorrow the British Columbia Cannery Association will hold a meeting to discuss the question of securing an extension of the open season from the Dominion government. It is considered by cannery men to be a foregone conclusion that such a request will be presented to Ottawa.

Aviators at Rheims

Rheims, Aug. 18.—G. H. Curtiss was examined by a surgeon today, who declared that he would be entirely well of his sprained ankle within a few days. The American was a prominent figure at the aerodrome this afternoon. He tried out his motor, which ran perfectly, but the high wind swept over the immense field made it impossible for him or any of the other aviators to think of attempting a flight.

G. T. PACIFIC MAY HOLD BACK

Not Bound to Operate Eastern Section Until Bridge Is Finished

Montreal, Aug. 18.—An Ottawa special says: The Grand Trunk Pacific will not be in a hurry to take over the eastern division of the National Transcontinental, is the opinion in semi-official circles of the capital. From present reports satisfactory progress is being made in most sections of the work, and completion shortly after 1910 is not improbable. The line, however, will not be finished really until the Quebec bridge is constructed, and that will not be begun until next spring, while six years will be taken to build it.

Under the act the company does not have to operate the line until it is finished, and as the bridge is an essential link in the undertaking it will be quite within its rights in declining to do so till this part of the work is done.

Mr. McNicoll Coming

Winnipeg, Aug. 18.—D. McNicoll, vice president of the C.P.R., arrived in the city this morning and will leave tonight for the Pacific coast.

Conservatives Gain Seat

Halifax, Aug. 18.—At the by-election in the fourth district of Prince Edward Island today, M. C. Delaney Tryon, Conservative, defeated Capt. Jos. Read Liberal, by three votes. The Liberals thus lose and the Conservatives gain a seat, and the strength of parties in the legislature is now: Government, 16; opposition, 13.

MINISTERS WELCOMED

Premier McBride and Hon. Dr. Young Enthusiastically Received at Prince Rupert

Prince Rupert, Aug. 18.—Premier McBride and Hon. Dr. Young met with a most enthusiastic reception here yesterday. The city was gorgeously decorated. In the afternoon the ladies tendered the visitors a reception in the Prince Rupert Inn. At night the citizens gave a smother in the opera house, which was crowded with cheering men. The reception was non-political. The premier leaves for Atlin tonight.

PATENT MEDICINES

Time for Affixing Special Inland Revenue Stamps on Old Stock Has Now Expired

Ottawa, Aug. 18.—Although the act providing for the registration of proprietary or patent medicines has been in force for some months, it was only on the 15th of August that the time expired for placing stamps upon patent medicines held in stock by dealers previous to the coming into operation of the law. The date had been fixed originally at April 1, but an extension was granted in order to give retailers in remote localities ample time to comply with the act. These stamps were sold at the original figure, and it was assumed that the Inland Revenue Department that all dealers have complied with the requirements, as no request had been received for a further extension of the time for affixing them. Accordingly every bottle or package of patent medicine sold from now on must have affixed to it either this inland revenue stamp, denoting that it was manufactured before the act came into effect, or the duly registered certificate of the department. Before any patent medicines can be offered for sale, the act says, the manufacturer, proprietor or agent shall procure annually from the minister of inland revenue a numbered certificate of registration, the fee for which is one dollar. This number, together with the manufacturer's name and address, must be printed on the label of each package or bottle.

CORPORATIONS WELL PLEASED

Judge Parker's Criticism of New Tax—President Taft Not Worried

Buffalo, N.Y., Aug. 18.—Commenting on the corporation tax in the September number of the National Monthly, of which publication Chairman Norman E. Mack, of the Democratic National committee, is the editor and publisher, former Judge Alton B. Parker says the new tax is welcomed by the giant corporations of the country, in the belief that they can seek immunity behind it. Former Judge Parker says that the great combinations in restraint of trade wish to be let alone, and to that end seek immunity even at the cost of increased political contribution.

"But a few days ago," says Judge Parker, "Mr. Cory, the president of the United States Steel corporation, returning from Europe, hailed with approval the tariff bill containing the corporation tax, in which his department associate, Judge Gary, heartily joined, adding hereto the prediction that the new law will enter upon a period of great prosperity."

"Naturally the small corporations engaged in honest business do not look kindly on this attempt to add to their burden of taxation."

"Otherwise, however, with the great combinations of trade, which are multiplying so many fields of endeavor. They wish to be let alone, and to that end seek immunity even at the cost of increased taxation and continued political contribution."

"To some writers the statute apparently seems entirely innocent of purpose to trespass upon the powers reserved to the states and the people. It appears to me, on the contrary, but another step in the carrying out of a carefully devised plan of centralization of power in the federal government."

Beverly, Mass., Aug. 18.—Reports which are reaching everywhere daily from Washington and New York that the constitutionality of the new corporation tax is to be tested just as soon as an effort is made to collect it have not disturbed President Taft in the least, as he laughingly told a number of callers at the Taft cottage today. The tests and the protests, the President declared, were all anticipated, and no threats of the corporations' lawyers now cause the chief magistrate alarm. Attorney Wickersham is coming to see the President on Friday afternoon, and the prospect of litigation over the corporation tax has nothing to do with the visit. Mr. Wickersham has some pardon cases upon which he desires the President to act, and he wants also to go over with Mr. Taft a few of the preliminary studies for the reorganization of the duties of the interstate commerce commission, the amendment of the Sherman anti-trust law and the bringing of interstate corporations more definitely under the control of one branch of the government.

Mr. Wickersham has given the study to these subjects, which will be the principal recommendations of the President's message to congress in December next.

Young Englishman Drowned

North Bay, Ont., Aug. 18.—James Dunning, a young English painter, was drowned while bathing at Chapeau. He came to Canada only about a year ago and leaves a wife and family in England.

Bequest to Princeton

New York, Aug. 18.—Princeton University is given \$100,000 by the will filed today by Cornelius C. Cuyler, the banker, who was killed recently in an automobile accident in France. This sum is to be known as the Theodore Cuyler general fund, the income to be used as the trustees may deem best.

NEAR TRAGEDY AT GLACE BAY

Failure of Policeman's Revolver to Fire Saves Life of Assailant

ATTACKS ON WORKERS BREAK OUT AGAIN

Settlement May Be Reached Through Intervention of Government

Glance Bay, N.S., Aug. 18.—The strike situation remains unchanged, but assaults on men who are working appear to be breaking out again. Several affairs of this kind have been reported within the last few days.

A tragedy was narrowly averted at the Reserve Colliery this morning. Special Constable John McDonald, while making his rounds at Norway Crossing, was accosted by three strikers and asked what he was doing. The officer made a reply, and as he started to leave one of the men struck him with his fist. The officer grabbed him and knocked him down. The other two assailants then started kicking the officer, and landed some nasty blows on his head, chest and stomach. McDonald grabbed with one of the assailants, and pulling his gun, he pressed the cold steel against the other's throat and pulled the trigger. The gun missed fire, and once again the trigger was pulled with the same result. McDonald knew one of the strikers, and he was arrested this afternoon. Ball was secured and the trial set down for next week before Magistrate Smith.

HELPING WORKERS

Delegates to Firemen's Convention Entertained and Addressed by Mrs. J. B. Harriman

Mount Kisco, N. Y., Aug. 18.—More than a hundred labor union men, delegates to the international convention of stationary firemen, now in session at Yonkers, dined tonight on the shaded lawns of Mrs. J. Borden Harriman's summer home here, and later listened to addresses by Mrs. Harriman, John Mitchell, and Healy, president of the firemen's organization.

Mrs. Harriman gave the dinner in her official capacity as chairman of the committee on welfare work for industrial employees of the National Civic Federation. The long tables, spread on level stretches of lawn, were lighted by the regulation lamps used by railroad trainmen.

Mrs. Harriman told her guests that she and her fellow members of the committee included Mrs. Allan Howard Taft, Mrs. John Hays Hammond and Mrs. Nicholas Longworth, and they are trying to open the eyes of employers to present conditions and were meeting with great success.

"I am firmly convinced," she concluded, "that the universal brotherhood of man will in the end triumph over the selfishness of the few, and that such gatherings as this are doing much to bring it about."

BECAUSE OF JEALOUSY

Young Woman in Augusta Deliberately Shoots Railway Official—Wounds Probably Fatal

Augusta, Ba., Aug. 18.—In a fit of jealousy this afternoon, Elvira Todd, a young woman about 22 years of age, entered the office of the Central of Georgia freight depot and probably fatally shot Cashier Richard Watson.

The young woman claims that she has for the past seven years been infatuated with Watson. In a statement tonight she says that she loved "Dick," and could not see him marry another woman. After firing two shots from outside the building through a window, the young woman made her way into Watson's office. Watson sought refuge inside a large iron safe just as she entered and began firing. A shot broke Watson's right leg just above the knee, and he fell to the floor. He begged for his life, but standing directly over him the woman fired the last cartridge in the pistol. It entered the chest about an inch above the heart, penetrating the lung and passing out of the body. The woman is being held without bail. Watson's condition is critical.

DYNAMITE IN COAL

Disagreeable Discovery Made in Course of Filling Bunkers of Battleship

London, Aug. 18.—A despatch from Portsmouth to the Daily Graphic says there is much alarm owing to the discovery three days later of supposed dynamite cartridges in coal shipped to Portsmouth for the battleships. The latest find of this character was during the coaling yesterday of the cruiser Duke of Edinburgh. The correspondent says that the mystery has not yet been explained.

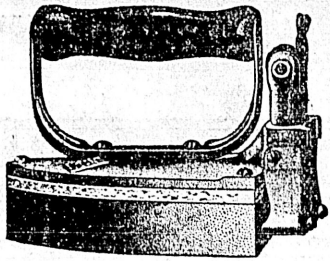
Hetty Green's Enterprising Son
New York, Aug. 18.—Hetty Green's son, H. J. B. Green, who runs a railway system, a cattle ranch, a cotton plantation and a life insurance company in Texas, is in New York to buy an aeroplane. Politics, power boat and automobile racing have long been his diversions, but now, although he weighs 300 pounds, he wants to go in for aviation. He owned the first automobile in Texas, and means to own the first successful aeroplane.

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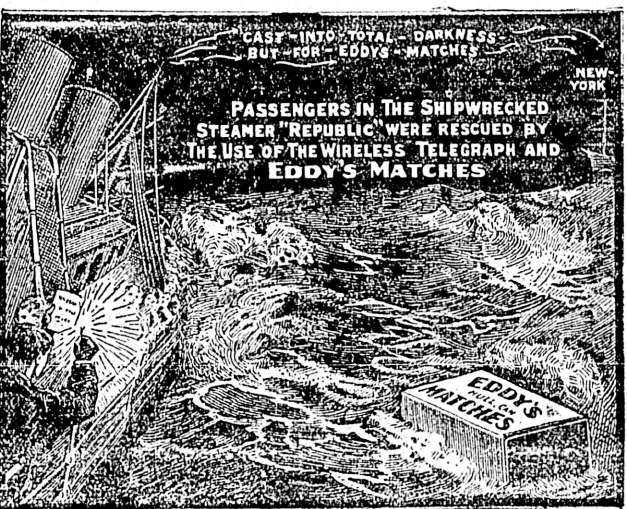
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CHILD PROBLEM AND HOW SOLVED

Judge Lindsay, Denver's Famous Children's Judge, Tells of His Work for Youth

"The image of God is in every human soul. If we can but bring it out, we will have solved the greatest problem of our day."

That was the keynote of the address which Judge Benjamin Lindsay, the "children's judge," of Denver, delivered before a large audience in the council chamber at the city hall last evening. Judge Lindsay has acquired fame throughout the United States by reason of his unique and nearly always successful method of handling juvenile delinquents. The large audience which turned out last evening to listen to him had the question presented to them in a manner which, besides being most entertaining, was also highly instructive. Speaking under the auspices of the Children's Aid Society, Judge Lindsay made a strong appeal to the people of Victoria to assist the work of that body, instancing what can be done in Victoria, and how successful has been the work done in Denver by means of the juvenile delinquents' court, and the probation system for youthful criminals.

Probably no other individual in the United States has had such experience with youthful malefactors as has Judge Lindsay. To him, probably more than to any other person is due the change which has taken place within recent years in the methods of dealing with youthful offenders. His stories of many of the cases which he has been called upon to handle, the invariable success which has been attained with the young boys and girls whose environment has been from astray, but who are not wholly vicious, were greatly appreciated and loudly applauded.

C. E. Redfern, in the absence of the president of the Children's Aid society, presided, and on the platform with him were Mayor Hall, Bishop Perrin, Rev. H. Carson, Col. Gregory, and others.

Asks Co-operation.

Mr. Redfern, in introducing Judge Lindsay, stated that the Children's Aid society was founded here five years ago, but its membership is still very small, its work being hampered not only by lack of funds but also by lack of that sympathy with its aims which it is entitled to receive from the public. In all cities there are a large number of children who are neglected, who are given the name of being bad, but this so-called badness is due more to the lack of training and care than to any inherent badness in the child. If not taken in time, these children gradually drift into the criminal classes. Mr. Redfern urged all those who are not now members of the society to become so at once, and thus aid in the good work of saving the children.

Judge Lindsay was well received when he rose to speak. He declared that there were somewhere in the neighborhood of 150,000 children in the United States and Canada, annually dealt with by the authorities. No city is without its child problem. When in Vancouver he had been favored by the police authorities with some figures which showed that last year some 300 young people, all under twenty-one years of age, had been arrested and incarcerated. If all the facts were known, it would be seen that in every one of those 300 cases the first offence had been committed in the early teens and was largely due to the neglect of the children by their parents or guardians. It was the seventh Earl of Shaftesbury who, after a lifetime spent in work devoted to children, declared that there were not two criminals in all London but had committed their first offence in childhood. To deal with the criminal class must be taken when they are children. The child is brought up in an environment which tends to make or unmake him, and to make the child's environment the best possible is the duty of the people.

Old Methods

Referring to the old methods of treating the criminal child, the trial in open court, the incarceration with grown-up criminals which only educated the child in criminal methods, the old idea that gave the child the welfare of the child but looked almost solely at the crime, all these old methods are gradually passing. Now the modern method is to save the child, to give him a chance to make good, to take him from his vicious environment and place him where he will have an opportunity of becoming a useful citizen.

When Judge Lindsay went on the bench ten years ago, the delinquent child was tried under the ordinary criminal procedure. Under the common law a child of seven was equally liable to the same punishment as the adult criminal who might have entered a house with pistol in his pocket and murder in his heart. And yet this same lad was not legally a man, in the eyes of the law, until he came of age. The whole system, Judge Lindsay declared, was absurd. It was a case of choking the lad because it was thought that thereby the evil was choked. Now under the law as operative in Colorado the old order has been changed. Then if a child stole, say some gunny sacks, it was the idea to save the sacks. Now the idea is to save the child.

Saving the Boys

Judge Lindsay told several stories of the youthful offenders who have been brought before him, of boys who were treated by the police as if they had been hardened criminals, but who, when once they were made to understand that it was their welfare which the authorities were desirous of improving and their innate spirit of fair play was aroused, left their evil ways and today are respectable citizens. The lad's downfall was due not to their innate badness, but to the vicious surroundings in which they had been reared. Judge Lindsay stated that the day of force has not yet passed, the day of the jail is still with us but he was there to plead on behalf of the child. The boy criminal is not understood. But things are changing. The powers of sympathy, kindness and patience have taken the place of the old order of things. A system of character building has taken the place of the old system of punishment. The main effort now is to enlist the boy's sympathy, loyalty and interest. He had found that the best way to deal with juvenile delinquents was in private and with as little formality as possible. To do a boy good he must be understood. In dealing with a

child one is dealing with a wonderful machine and the best time to handle a man is when he is a boy. Playgrounds have proved an important part in the welfare of the youth of Denver, and it has been demonstrated that the placing of a public playground in the heart of a section of Denver where the greater part of the youthful criminality was taking place resulted in a wonderful reduction in the number of cases brought to the attention of the authorities. The trouble has been that the state neglected its opportunities to take the child when his character is plastic and make of him a useful citizen.

Results of Good Work

Judge Lindsay told of his experiences with the so-called delinquents of Denver, of his efforts to secure their good will and how, after much time and labor, he had been repaid by the trust of the boys and their sincere and successful efforts to reform. He told of the good work which is being done by the probation officers, how the boy after being sent to the Detention Home is watched and cared for, is encouraged to do his best and how, in the great majority of cases, the boy is saved from a life of crime and made a respectable citizen. Not only does the law as it now stands in Colorado provide for the child but it also deals with those who do anything to make the child a delinquent. The man who leads a child astray should be punished. The parents who neglect their children and allow them to run about the streets at night, frequent questionable resorts, can be made to pay the penalty. Society values more the necessity of doing more for the child. But this awakening has only taken place after the people have shown that they insist on such protection for the child.

Judge Lindsay believed that a probation officer in Victoria would do more for the protection of the child than all the police force. In the five years prior to his going on the bench in Denver thousands of boys and girls had been incarcerated in jail. Some had said that the jails of the county were a toboggan slides to hell. Some 60,000 cases of youth annually sent to jail, to the state-owned schools of crime, was a record which no one could be proud of. Under the modern and enlightened system the boy, instead of being sent to jail to graduate in crime, is put in the detention home school.

In a case investigated, he is placed under uplifting influences and when he is allowed to leave the home he returns a better product than when he was sent to the home. How different in the case of the jail. The state, Judge Lindsay declared, has no right to convict a child unless it is prepared to protect it. He had found out from personal experience that the power of personal touch and influence is necessary in the regeneration of the criminal. Instancing his success with the youthful members of a gang of criminals Judge Lindsay declared that six out of the seven boys are now respectable citizens. "Pretty good salvage that," he declared amid applause.

Probation System.

co-operation between the church, home, school and business man. The working boy is put to work. The officer keeps him under his supervision and the business man helps by giving the youth work. Reports of the boy's progress are sent and if that report is a good one he is praised. The opportunity to do good is put in his way instead of giving him the opportunity of doing wrong.

"It is worth doing right here in your town," Judge Lindsay declared. "There is no love without justice and no justice without love. We are thus putting love in the law." Judge Lindsay was loudly applauded when he concluded. Col. Gregory in moving a vote of thanks to Judge Lindsay appealed to the audience to assist the Children's Aid Society by practical action. He said that the society was founded and there are today eighteen members. If the public of Victoria possessed any interest in the society now was the time to show it. The legislators would pass no law for the benefit of the children unless they are convinced that public opinion demands it. He was a believer in the youth of the city how much more should the fathers and mothers show in the welfare of the children.

Mayor Hall, in seconding the vote of thanks to Judge Lindsay, declared that if there were more men like him it would be better for the boys and girls. Mayor Hall promised that before his term expired he would recommend to the council that something substantial should be done towards providing for a juvenile delinquent court.

VICTORIA MEDICO WILL WRITE A BOOK

Dr. John Hanington Returns on Furlough From the Mystery Land of West Africa.

In just about one year and six months all the world and his wife will doubtless besiege the booksellers for copies of the first edition of "My Adventures with the Sleeping Sickness Bug in West Africa," written from personal observations, and notes and interviews taken upon the spot by—

But it would be manifestly unfair to divulge the name, for Dr. John Hanington is very, very modest, and until publication of his tome actually takes place would not for worlds come into the fierce glare of world-wide celebrity.

On being interviewed by a representative of "The Evening Post" this morning, the Doctor was discovered entrenched strategically and most comfortably in the kral of a friend at 1346 Stanley avenue. Being enticed from the advantage of his chosen lair, he stubbornly refused to divulge aught concerning himself or his adventures that might be set down in print.

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Was he not writing a book, from Dr. Hanington, who is a son of Dr. and Mrs. E. B. C. Hanington of this city, has but very recently returned from Lagos, West Africa, on a few months' furlough. He is attached to the forces of the Algerian Blumhouse Company in the capacity of surgeon, and is a graduate of the School of Tropical Research. Recently he has been on the warpath against the bugs, bacilli and microbes generally responsible for the majority of such terrible maladies of the tropics as the sleeping sickness, to which latter he has given very considerable attention.

His work has cost him much in company with Dr. Todd, also from this city, who likewise is returning on vacation during the next few weeks. It is a curious coincidence that two young members of the same profession, both from this one comparatively small and out-of-the-way city of Western Canada, should be brought into association in the way of their making money in the very lands of the world— which West Africa is certainly entitled to be regarded as.

PRINCE RUPERT LOTS IN DEMAND

Sales Up to August 14th Bring in Total Amount of \$1,308,000

Vancouver, Aug. 18.—Sales of Prince Rupert realty up to August 14th attained a phenomenal figure, totaling \$1,308,000, according to the announcement of G. L. Ryley, land commissioner of the Grand Trunk Pacific railway.

The number of lots sold is 2,664, of which 1,389 were disposed of by private sale at Prince Rupert, or 300 in excess of the number jointly sold at auction here and at Victoria. Lots have now been sold for the past three weeks by private sale at the rate of about 70 daily.

Although no regular sale has yet been held at Winnipeg, Mr. Ryley during a recent brief stay there sold 28 Prince Rupert lots to Winnipeg investors, who called upon him.

HENEY NOT CHOSEN

Republican and Democratic Primaries in San Francisco Go Against Prosecutor

San Francisco, Cal., Aug. 18.—The Bulletin, a strong supporter of Francis J. Heney and the graft prosecution, this afternoon concedes that Charles M. Fickert, the "regular" Republican nominee, received the Republican and Democratic nominations for district attorney in yesterday's primaries.

The Bulletin says: "The Democratic nomination for district attorney went to Charles M. Fickert by a small majority. Neither efforts nor money was spared by the supporters of Fickert. A small army of paid workers labored all day for him at the polls. The opposition, which favored Francis J. Heney, expended no money. Heney himself was away during all the campaign and is still away, but despite all disadvantages he polled a large percentage of the Democratic vote." William Crocker, the regular Republican, and Dr. T. J. W. Leland, the regular Democrat, were nominated for mayor.

P. H. McCarthy was nominated for mayor by the Union Labor party and there will be a three-cornered fight in the fall.

The primary means that Heney will run as an independent at the election, unless the districts yet to be heard from, involving enough votes to change the result, give him the Republican or Democratic nomination.

ATTEMPTS SUICIDE

Prisoner in Vancouver Jail Vainly Tries to Hang Himself With His Trousers

Vancouver, Aug. 18.—The life of Raleigh Foulkner, the alleged wife-killer, who yesterday afternoon in the city jail attempted suicide by hanging, was saved by his trousers. Just why Foulkner did not tear his shirt into strips and make a noose he does not explain. About 2 o'clock yesterday the plasterers who were at work on the new addition to the police headquarters, heard a muffled sound as of some one talking, and not knowing what it all was about went closer to the high, barred window in the cell where Foulkner had been placed. Then they caught distinct words in agonized but muffled cries: "My God, I don't want to die."

The workmen could see the end of the trouser leg tightly knotted around the bars. They hurried to the office and informed the men on duty there. It was with some difficulty Foulkner's trousers were torn from around his neck.

The man had gone carefully about his preparations for strangling himself. The end of the trousers which was knotted on the bars was hard and fast and carefully knotted. The end around his neck was also tightly tied, but there was so much cloth that strangulation became such a slow process that the man began to cry out.

After being taken down and released from the death knot around his neck Foulkner continued to kick and gasp spasmodically till Dr. McTavish was summoned. A restorative was administered, and last evening Foulkner seemed little the worse for the dreadful experience.

Yesterday morning in police court, when he was given a preliminary hearing of a charge of cruelly beating his young wife, Blanche, by knocking her down and dragging her down a flight of stairs in the Tien Tsin "noodle joint" on Hastings street, Magistrate Williams committed her for trial. Immediately after court adjourned and the room was still full of people, Foulkner called to his wife, saying that he wished to speak with her. She paid no attention to him.

At noon Foulkner made a break for liberty, but was easily captured by a policeman.

The charge against Foulkner is brought under an amendment to the code which makes wife-beating liable to two years' imprisonment and a whipping.

Try For Settlement

Halifax, Aug. 18.—E. S. McCullough, vice-president of the U. M. W., and Daniel McDougall, of District No. 26, arrived in the city from Glace Bay at noon today. The object of their visit was to confer with Premier Murray with reference to the strike situation in the colliery districts of Glace Bay and Springhill. They laid their case before the premier, and after the conference he took the train for Cape Breton. It is believed this is the first step toward a settlement of the big struggle, a settlement which may come within the next few weeks. The result of today's conference was not divulged by either party.

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- LADIES' CUSHION SOLE SHOES, fine make \$5.00
- LADIES' CHOCOLATE KID AND CALF BOOTS AND SHOES \$3.00
- LADIES' VICI KID, Goodyear welts, patent tip \$3.50
- LADIES' KID LACE BOOTS, regular \$2.50 and \$3.00 \$1.50
- BOYS' BOX CALF, heavy sole, light calf top \$2.50
- YOUTHS' BOX CALF, heavy sole, light calf top \$1.75
- CHILDS' BOX CALF, heavy sole, light calf top \$1.50
- CHILDREN'S BOX CALF AND DONGOLA KID \$1.25

Words can't tell, but come and see



JAMES MAYNARD

Odd Fellows' Block

1313 Douglas St.

Orville Wright Engaged London, Aug. 18.—The Daily Graphic asserts that Orville Wright, the American aeronaut, has been engaged to make demonstrations with his machine in England two months hence, under the auspices of the British government.

A new 100,000 barrel a year brewery is to be erected at Mt. Carbon, a suburb of Pottsville, Pa.

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They purchase wool garments in Canada because they're cheaper here than in the United States. We are agents for the "Jaeger" goods, and have a fine showing:

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SHERIFF'S SALE

Under and by virtue of a writ of Fieri Facias issued out of the Supreme Court of British Columbia in an action wherein William Dyke is Plaintiff and The Betts-Mescher Company is Defendant, and to me directed, I have seized and taken possession of all the goods and chattels of the Defendant Company within my bailiwick and will offer the same for sale at Public Auction at my office, Law Courts, Bastion Street, Victoria, B.C., on Wednesday 25th, 1937, at 10:30 a.m. Terms of sale cash.

The Engine and Boiler are now at Hills Logging Camp, Saturna Island, where the same can be seen.

F. G. RICHARDS,
Sheriff of the County of Victoria,
August 17th, 1937.

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At 2 p.m., a quantity of

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TO URGE PASSAGE OF THE BYLAWS

Citizens' Committee in Favor of Ratification of Power Co.'s Agreement

Mr. Leizer, the chairman of the Citizens' Committee, has called a meeting for this evening at 8 p.m., for the purpose of taking action to ensure the successful carrying out of the B. C. Electric Railway agreement by-law. A number of the business men and members of the board of trade realize that the passing of the by-law will have an invigorating effect in local business circles, and will encourage the establishment of new industries. Electricity as a motive power offers to the manufacturer with small capital an easy means of reaching out for business.

The President of the board of trade and the members of the council of that institution feel that Victoria's position as a mercantile centre can only be maintained by the inauguration of new industries, and those associated with him are determined that if cheap power can be obtained by the passage of this by-law, no effort will be spared to carry it.

Considerable apathy has been shown by property owners in the past, whenever by-laws have been presented for their consideration, and the Citizens' Committee invite all those interested to attend the meeting this evening. The meeting will be held in the rooms adjoining Copas and Young's, on Fort Street, Mr. Leizer taking the chair at 8 p.m.

GERMANY'S NAVY

Big Fleet Assembles to Take Part in Elaborate Manoeuvres in Baltic And North Seas

Kiel, Aug. 18.—The entire German fleet, comprising 40 battleships and armoured cruisers, and 50 torpedo boat destroyers, left here today to take part in the extensive summer manoeuvres under the command of Prince Henry of Prussia, who is on board the flagship Deutschland.

In addition to the two active squadrons, one reserve squadron of eight coast defence battleships, and another composed of cruisers, will take part in the manoeuvres, which will commence in the Baltic and probably extend to the North Sea.

Emperor William will review the fleet on August 30th off Swinemund, and later there will be an attack by torpedo boats at Luebeck harbor and an attempt to land a strong force on the coast. The shore line will be defended by an army corps.

MERE NONSENSE

Sir Frederick Borden's Comment on Cabled Story in Regard to "Japanese Peril."

London, Aug. 18.—Sir Frederick Borden, interviewed regarding the announcement in American dispatches that Australia and Canada are combining to "meet the Japanese peril," said it was mere nonsense.

Respecting the London Times Ottawa correspondent's suggestion that some one in an authoritative position should cable the progress of the Imperial defence conference negotiations to Canada, Sir Frederick remarked that the negotiations, as before announced, were confidential. He, how-

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New 5-room Bungalow, on lot 40 x 100, being No. 16 Menzies St. (James Bay)

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DINING ROOM—Elegant Quarter-cut Oak Buffet, leaded glass doors; handsome Round Oak Extension Table, six Oak Diningroom Chairs, one large Mission Oak Arm Chair, very fine Couch, Whatnot, Library Table, Heater and Pipe, Brussels Carpet 12 x 16-6, and English Pictures, two pairs English Curtains, Cutlery, China ware, Dining Sets, etc.

HALL—Oak Hall Seat, Mahogany Music Stand, Hall Chair, Rattan Chair, Oak Hall Table, Hanging Mirror and Hat Rack in Oak Frame, Hall Rug, Good Linoleum.

BEDROOMS—Extra fine reversible Carpet Square 10 x 12, large Rug to match, Iron Bedstead, Spring Ottoman Mattress, large Mahogany Chest, Mahogany Dresser and Stand, Tables, three Mahogany Chairs, two pairs fine English Curtains, Bedding, Pillars, Toilet Set, etc.

KITCHEN AND OTHER ROOMS—Inlaid Linoleum 12 x 12, No. 8 Albion Cook Stove with top oven, Kitchen Table, Ironing Board on legs, Cooking Utensils, etc., Garden Hose, Garden Tools, etc., etc.

On view Thursday afternoon and morning of sale.

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ever, said that they were proceeding satisfactorily, adding that any reports published must necessarily be mere guess work.

Tries to Kill Son

Rome, Aug. 18.—According to advices received here from Teheran, Persia, the recent reported attempt of the young Shah of Persia to commit suicide really was an attempt to assassinate the boy made by his father, the deposed Shah, who struck his son with a poignard.

Death of Broker Seligman

Deal, N. J., Aug. 18.—S. J. Seligman, for thirty years a member of the New York Stock Exchange, and a son of James W. Seligman, of the banking house of J. & W. Seligman, died suddenly of heart failure at his summer home here today. His daughter, Cecile Seligman, was with him when he died. The funeral will be held from his late home here on Friday.

Suffragettes Besiege Premier

London, Aug. 18.—The militant suffragettes who have been picketing the House of Commons for the past six weeks with the object of securing an interview with Premier Asquith, have extended their operations to the Premier's residence on Downing St. Mrs. Despard and her son, Sanderson, this morning took up their stand outside Mr. Asquith's house, and declared that sentries would be maintained uninterruptedly until the Premier granted an audience. The Premier, however, is able to slip out through a garden in the rear of his house, to which the public does not have access.

MONTH'S FIGURES WILL BE SMALL

August Building Total Does Not Compare Favorably With Previous Months

The permit for the new three storey brick building, which Messrs. Bannerman and Horne will erect at the corner of Broad and Johnson streets, was issued yesterday afternoon by the building inspector. The structure will cost \$22,000, and will be a credit to the business section. The ground floor will contain three stores, one of which will be occupied by Bannerman and Horne. The two upper floors will contain rooming quarters. D. C. Frame is the architect, and Thomas A. Brydon is the contractor.

Permits have also been issued to W. J. Clarke for a blacksmith shop, to be erected on Cormorant street, to cost \$1,000; to Messrs. Bell and Rollins, for a dwelling on Edmonton road, to cost \$3,250; to J. P. Burgess, for a dwelling on Princess street, to cost \$1,100 to F. H. Fisher, for alterations to dwelling on Hillside avenue, to cost \$300; to Mrs. W. J. Fisher, for alterations to dwelling on Avalon road, to cost \$250.

With the above permits the building values for the month have been substantially increased, though so far this month the aggregate value of the buildings for which permits have been issued is only about \$50,000, and from present indications August will have about the smallest total of any month so far this year.

TO SEND DELEGATE TO CONGRESS

Trades and Labor Council Transacts Regular Business

The Victoria Trades and Labor Council met last evening, President Watters in the chair.

H. Webber, as delegate from Letter Carriers' Union, presented his credentials and was seated.

The organizer for the American Federation of Labor, R. Ryan, reported having completed the organization of Union No. 134, Sheet Metal Workers' Alliance, and was ably assisted by Secretary Silvert, President Watters, Vice-President Dougal and W. Black, of the Painters' Union. A splendid set of officers were elected, and the charter and seal handed over to the union with everything pointing to its future success. The following officers were elected for the ensuing term: President, R. Soten; vice-president, D. Bartlett; recording and corresponding secretary, H. Brewster; financial secretary, J. Pettigrew; treasurer, E. J. Gilbert; conductors, H. Liddiard; warden, H. Marshall; trustees, A. B. Stevenson, Fred Saul, R. Soten.

The Press Committee reported that the trouble between the promoters of the "Annual Labor Review" had been brought to a satisfactory conclusion, and the review was now being put into circulation by the Acme Press printing house. At this point C. Woodward arrived and presented his credentials as delegate from the Cook and Walters' Union.

The Tailors and Printing Pressmen's Unions signified their satisfaction with the new Labor Temple project, and their willingness to subscribe liberally for stock.

The executive council recommended that Labor Day be commemorated this year by keeping open house at Hall and in the evening holding a social and dance for the entertainment of working men and their families and friends. The recommendation was warmly received, and everything possible will be done to make the affair a success.

The New Westminster Labor Council sent an invitation to come and take part in the Labor Day celebration in September. Good wishes were expressed for the success of the celebration at the city on the Fraser, and while the council could not promise to get up an excursion on the occasion they would do all they could to advise the affair, hoping that many members would take advantage of the low rates to visit New Westminster on the occasion.

Several unions wrote favoring the appointment of an organizer for three months and promised financial support. The Painters' union opposed the being put into operation at present.

The call for the Quebec convention

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FOR KITCHEN WEAR, in English prints, holland, and strong linen; apron fabrics that have made Britain famous, 40c values for25c

STRONG LINEN APRONS, full width, with bib and pocket, a marvellous apron bargain, 60c values on Friday and Saturday for35c

REFORM RED - CROSS NURSES' APRONS, in extra quality, finest white and natural linen, square bibs, at the reduced prices of 75c and50c

Aprons for All at our Sale



NURSE NORA APRONS, special quality linen, latest English nursing cut; cannot be duplicated at less than \$1.00. Friday and Saturday's price...65c

MUSLIN APRONS, a tremendous quantity of highest quality and most dainty styles, rich with new embroidery, values range to \$1 and \$1.50. Apron sale price50c

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British Association For The Advancement Of Science

THE SEVENTY-NINTH ANNUAL MEETING WILL BE HELD IN WINNIPEG, August 25th to September 1st, 1909.

There are twelve sections, viz: Mathematical and Physical science, Chemistry, Zoology, Geography, Economic Science and Statistics, Engineering, Anthropology, Physiology, Botany, Agriculture and Educational Science, which meet daily during the week. There will be five evening lectures, some of which will be illustrated by experiments. These will be delivered in the Walker theatre by eminent scientific men.

TERMS OF MEMBERSHIP.

Anyone interested may join the association and obtain full privileges on the following terms: Associates \$5.00; annual members \$10.00 first year, \$5.00 subsequently; life members \$50.00; ladies' tickets (transferable to ladies only) \$5.00. Programmes, tickets and all information can be obtained from the Honorary Local Secretaries, University of Manitoba, Winnipeg, up to Saturday, August 21. After that date at the Reception Room, Drill Hall, Broadway, Winnipeg.

Don't Pay Rent, Have a Home of Your Own

We have decided to clean up the following properties of which we are owners. These must be sold:

SNAP NO. 1.—Beautiful new bungalow, Morrison street, at Oak Bay Junction, large closets, beautiful fittings, well laid out, furnace, beautiful view of Oak Bay and Mount Tolmie, close to High School,—sewer and water. The price of this house, with one full sized lot, is \$3,500.00, and the purchaser can have the adjoining lot if desired. Terms can be arranged to suit the purchaser, a small cash payment, and so much per month.

SNAP NO. 2.—10½ acres of beautiful land, 3 miles from the centre of the city. High and dry, with a delightful view over Portage Inlet; the soil is a rich black loam; water, a cold, everlasting spring. Price only \$4,000.00, on very easy terms.

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SNAP NO. 3.—"Hollywood Park," Foul Bay. New 6-room bungalow on a level cleared lot with a magnificent Southern view of the Mountains. We will sell this house and lot fully completed, with sewer and water, for \$2,900, \$800 cash, balance 3 years at 7 per cent. The price of this house is \$3,500, but it must be SOLD NOW.

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of the "Canada Trade and Labor Congress," was read to the delegates, and the question of sending a delegate from Victoria was taken up and discussed at considerable length. A motion to send a delegate was finally voted on and resulted in favor of sending one delegate to the Quebec convention of the Canadian Labor Congress, which will be held in the city of Quebec, Province of Quebec, September 20, 1909.

On the recommendation of the executive council the question of holding a grand labor ball annually in one of the largest halls in the city was taken up and considered in all its details. It was finally decided to carry out the recommendation, and special committees from the best known social leaders of all the different unions will be asked to act on the central committee.

The sum of \$250 was voted to pay the expenses of a delegate to Quebec, and ultimately J. C. Watters was elected after a close contest, after which the meeting adjourned.

New Fancy Hosiery—Ladies' pale blue, pink and tan silk lisle stripe lace hose, 50c a pair. Robinson's Cash Store, 642 Yates Street.

Canadian Dies Suddenly

London, Aug. 18.—Edward Loveluck, a Canadian government accountant, died suddenly at Swansea yesterday.

Deaconess to Work in West

Montreal, Aug. 18.—Staying at the Plaza Vigor hotel is Deaconess Marshall, of the Woman's Order of Deaconesses of the Anglican Church, who is on her way from London to Edmonton, where she will establish herself under Archdeacon Grey. She expects to remain at work in the west for two or three years before taking a vacation in England. Miss Marshall expects to reach Edmonton on September 5.

Yerkes Estate

New York, Aug. 18.—Harrington Putnam is continued as receiver of the estate of the late Charles T. Yerkes in a decision filed by the United States Circuit Court of Appeals here today. The receiver was appointed in an action instituted by the Underground Electric Railway company of London, England, as a creditor, asking administration and distribution of the estate. Appeal from his appointment was taken by Louis S. Owsley, executor of the Yerkes es-

tate, and Mary Adelaide Yerkes, the widow of the financier. Today's decision disallows this appeal.

Mr. Fielding's Return.

London, Aug. 18.—Hon. W. S. Fielding sails for Canada on the Empress of Britain on August 27th.

Prisoners Tunnel for Freedom

Pittsburg, Aug. 18.—The discovery of a tunnel at the Western Pennsylvania penitentiary today frustrated what would have been a wholesome escape of prisoners. Two convicts suspected of digging the tunnel are now in solitary confinement, and three life prisoners are under surveillance. Information is refused, but it is said the tunnel was within a few feet of the wall when discovered.

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THE FORESTRY COMMISSION

The Provincial Forestry Commission concluded its session in Victoria yesterday. Comprehensive reports have been printed in the Colonist of the evidence taken by the Commissioners, but of necessity only a small part of what is stated at the session can be given in a daily newspaper. The whole volume of evidence, when the Commission has completed its work, bids fair to be of exceptional value. The Commissioners themselves are exceedingly well equipped for the task assigned to them, and we are sure that the report they will make to the government will be of very great use.

The testimony given at Victoria seems to be favorable to permanency of tenure and to be especially strong on the necessity of protecting the forests from the ravages of fire. These seem to be the two important points in the case, so far as the investigation has yet gone; and we do not anticipate that subsequent inquiry will relegate them to an inferior place. The action of the government in determining to appoint a Commission will be more than justified by results.

THE WATER QUESTION

We mentioned the other day that Mr. A. J. Morley had written us a letter asking for information on a certain point. His question did not go to the merits of the Goldstream proposition, but only as to the legality of the bylaw as advertised. Mr. Morley thinks that it will be inoperative even if adopted, because it refers, in his judgment, to more than one subject. We are informed that the bylaw as drawn up has met with the approval of the legal department of the city, and this being the case it seems unnecessary for laymen to discuss the point raised by Mr. Morley, for to do so would only introduce a useless complication into the case, and in any event the opinion of the legal advisers of the city would be taken in preference to anything that Mr. Morley or the Colonist might say.

Some of the opponents of the water bylaw are making much of the fact that the Tramway company is operating its steam plant. We have inquired into the reason of this and are informed by the manager of the Tramway company that it is not because the Esquimalt company cannot furnish the water which the contract calls for, but because that amount of water will not develop the amount of power needed by the company. The Manager says that in the rainiest season, when the lights are being used early in the evening, it will be necessary to operate the steam plant. The demand for light has increased so greatly that the maximum water supply of Goldstream is not sufficient to furnish the necessary power.

Opponents of the bylaw are endeavoring to make a comparison between the cost of going to Sooke and the cost of obtaining a supply from Goldstream. This comparison is simply guess work, for no one knows what it will cost to go to Sooke. Mr. Adams made an estimate upon information furnished him, but no one is in a position to say if that information is correct. In order to determine what the five and a half miles of tunnel will cost it will be necessary to put down a sufficient number of bore holes to test the rock structure. When this was proposed last year, an estimate was made of the cost of putting down these holes and it was found that it would be at least \$25,000. The work was not done and no one can pretend to say what the tunnel will cost, that is no one whose opinion is of any value.

The time requisite to make a tunnel to Sooke is a very serious consideration. Mr. Adams says that at least five years would be necessary. This is the minimum. We will take that period. How soon could work be undertaken provided the city decided to go to Sooke? That depends upon circumstances over which the city has no control. If the Esquimalt company raises no objection the delay absolutely necessary might not be long, but we are inclined to think it would be for a reason that will be given later. If the company should raise an objection and the matter should become the subject of litigation there would be very considerable delay. We do not think we will be unreasonable if we put the delay at two years. Adding this to the five years necessary to do the work, and allow six months for launching and financing the project, and it will be seven years and six months at the least before we could

get water from Sooke. This is the minimum term; it might easily be prolonged by unforeseen circumstances to ten years.

Where would the city get its water in the meantime? Let us see what would take place in the meantime, and we want what we say on this point to be followed carefully, for it seems to us to be by far the most important consideration in connection with the question. First, we take the point that if the city refuses now to acquire Goldstream under the legislation of last session, the rights to acquire it will be lost, except on such terms as the company may prescribe.

2nd. The company being secure in its undertaking, it will go on to expend money in the utilization of its water. It is an open secret that the company has already arranged for \$500,000 for that purpose. The company being in absolute and indefeasible right to the Goldstream watershed may be expected forthwith to enter into a contract to supply Oak Bay municipality with water, and in so doing it will place itself in a position to supply the municipality of South Saanich. It will also have an abundance of water to supply the Esquimalt Peninsula. There is absolutely no doubt whatever that the Goldstream watershed will furnish from 15,000,000 to 17,000,000 gallons daily all the year round, which is three times as much as the city of Victoria and the two municipalities above named now consume. The company will therefore be in a position to supply the whole water-consuming area, except that part of Victoria which lies East of the Arm.

3rd. In such an event, the city will be able to save some of its Elk Lake supply; it will surely be able to save what it now sells to the Oak Bay municipality. Therefore, the residents within the city limits East of the Arm would have more Elk Lake water at their disposal than they have at present, and they would not feel the need of taking upon themselves the unknown cost of going to Sooke for some time at least. When the Elk Lake supply proves inadequate, the ratepayers of the eastern part of the city would have to decide between two propositions, namely:

Shall we take upon ourselves the burden of going to Sooke, when we can count upon no consumers outside of the eastern part of the city? or Shall we buy water from the Esquimalt company?

Therefore, to us the issue seems to be:

Shall the city of Victoria or the Esquimalt Water Works company control the water supply of the city of Victoria and all its environs?

We would like some one to point out to us in what way they think this reasoning is defective, if it is defective. There are opponents of the by-law who place their opposition upon the ground that they do not like the method under which the property is to be acquired; others object to any change at all, while the present management of the city water works is continued; they want a new system of control adopted. It seems to us that these are minor objections when considered side by side with the fundamental proposition above mentioned.

Get the situation well in mind. Draw a line across the map from the head of Esquimalt Harbor to Cordova Bay, and south of it you will have the area within which the water consumers of the next ten or fifteen years will reside. Then take that part of this area which is within the city limits on the East side of the Arm. Compare the two. Reject the by-law, and the city of Victoria will be restricted to supplying the smaller area; adopt it, and the city will supply the whole area.

Mr. Morley has attempted to show that it will cost more to get 23,000,000 gallons daily from Goldstream and Sooke than from Sooke alone; but if we do not acquire Goldstream, and get the company out of the field, the city of Victoria as a city will never want 23,000,000 gallons. Under a system of meters, 23,000,000 gallons would supply 300,000 people at the probable average consumption of the present year. It is hardly necessary to argue that there never will be a population of 300,000 people within the city limits on the East side of the Arm. Therefore, even if Mr. Morley's figures were correct, and as respects Sooke they can possibly be nothing more than a rough guess, his calculation of the cost of a daily supply of 23,000,000 gallons from Sooke alone has no possible bearing upon the question before the ratepayers.

NAVAL DEFENCE

There seems to be no doubt that the Conference in London on the question of Imperial naval defence has resulted very satisfactorily to those participating in it. Obviously one cannot speak with confidence on the strength of a telegraphic synopsis of the conclusions arrived at, but judging from the facts telegraphed we think the people of Canada will be content with the general principles to which their delegates have given their assent. That Canada must do something more than contribute a quota to the British Navy is the universal opinion of the people. Many of us would have been glad to have seen one or more battleships tendered to the Home Government and accepted, and speaking for itself the Colonist would be willing to sustain the government of the Dominion in making such a proposal now or at any future time, if there shall seem to be a necessity for it; but we are heartily in accord with the idea of a Canadian

navy. There is also to be an Australian navy. These two navies, acting in concert with the British navy, will constitute the Imperial navy. It is true that Australia seems to have stipulated for independence of control even to the point of being able to say whether or not the Australian contingent shall be at the service of the Home Government in time of war, and we suppose that what is determined upon in the case of the Commonwealth will also apply to the Dominion; but this is only a concession to the important principle of colonial autonomy. We may rest confident that in time of war all the navies will be as one. If they would not be so under the proposed agreement, they would not be so under any agreement. The Empire cannot be bound together by words. On this point we are heartily in sympathy with the reported conclusions of the Conference.

Another important point which seems to have been agreed upon is the obligation of Canada to protect her coasts on both oceans. The announcement that this includes the provision of ample dockyards is exactly in line with what this paper has always advocated, and the adoption of the principle meets with our unqualified approval.

As we have said there will be no difference of opinion on the principles upon which the Conference has agreed, if they have been correctly sent out. There will also be general satisfaction at the announcement that Canada is going to begin work upon her navy immediately upon lines suggested by Admiral Fisher. At this stage of the case there may naturally arise differences of opinion as to details, and the Colonist reserves the right to criticise these as far as it is able to do so. Apparently the outcome of the Conference will create profound satisfaction, and it certainly advances the Dominion one step further on the road to nationality. Gradually the Empire is taking shape. Precedent is following precedent. The Conference is a recognition of independence within the Empire.

Mons. Clemenceau, lately premier of France, is to become a newspaper editor. A deserved promotion this.

The news that General Booth is threatened with total blindness will be learned with deep regret by millions of people within and without the great organization which he founded.

Correspondent asks us why newspapers are not always reliable. One reason is that people, correspondents among them, do not always tell newspapers the truth.

Colonist no desire to interfere in neighbors' quarrels; but would remind one neighbor that it might as well go out and try to kill all the mosquitoes as to answer all the offensive things that other neighbor says.

Russia is going to build eight battle-ships, a division of armored cruisers, and thirty-six torpedo boats. The trouble with the Russian navy is that its commanders get attacks of nerves. Nevertheless, these preparations for eventualities are interesting in view of the close approach between the United Kingdom, France, and the great northern power. The French people are beginning to think that this is already close enough to be in the nature of a triple alliance. If it is so, it is a very much more formidable combination than that of Germany, Italy, and Austria.

Speaking of the people of the United States, the News-Advertiser says that "the race is evolving at such terrific rapidity that the friction induced must of necessity cause temporary national aberration." Our contemporary says that this is the opinion of Signor Ferrero expressed "in simpler verbiage." Will the News-Advertiser kindly publish an unexpurgated version of the Signor's observation? A proposition which is thus expressed when simplified must be a holy terror in its original form. We do not care so much to know what the Signor said, as to be able to form some just conception of our contemporary's genius in simplification.

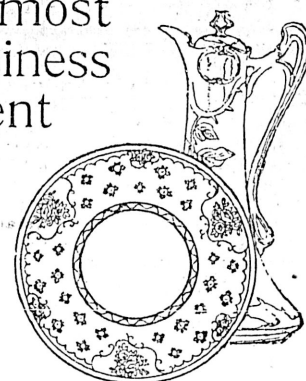
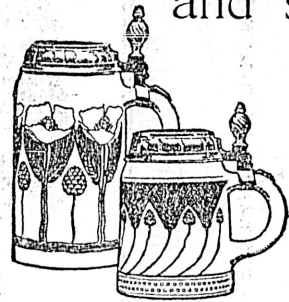
Mr. Arthur O'Connor, of we do not know where, says that if when you are knocked down by a motor, you raise yourself on your arms and legs, as a man does when he sustains heavy weights on his chest, the machine will pass over you without doing any harm. We suggest to Mr. Arthur O'Connor that he should print the rules to be followed in this case, so that we may all have them in our pockets for reference when we are knocked down. Any considerate chauffeur would stop the machine long enough to permit us to read the instructions before running over us. If he should not do so, he would certainly be open to the suspicion of being no gentleman.

Thirty million less cigarettes were consumed in Canada last year than during the previous year. Mr. Templeman presides over the smoking department of the Dominion government, and it would be interesting to have him tell us, if he can, why this is thus. Is the seductive cigarette losing its power to harm? Has the law against sales to small boys stopped the consumption? Have more people, like the Minister himself, taken to the use of the aristocratic cigar, or have a greater number adopted the democratic pipe? In all seriousness, the question is a very interesting one. With a growing population we have a smaller consumption of cigarettes.

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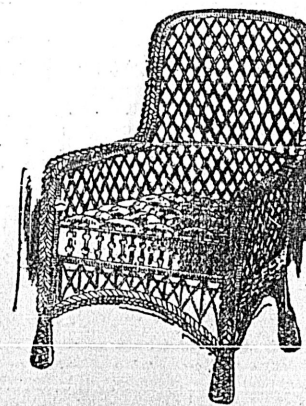
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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Miss Nora Philip, of Second street, is spending the week in Victoria.

Mr. W. J. Sargent is visiting Mrs. R. Cousins, of Vancouver.

Mrs. and Miss Jesse are paying a short visit to friends in Vancouver.

Mr. T. M. Reolfe, with Miss Reolfe, were in Vancouver last week.

Mr. William Blakemore is visiting Nanaimo.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Baer, of Nelson, are visiting on the Coast.

Mr. H. B. Ashby, from Kamloops, is spending a few days in the city.

J. E. Smart went over to Vancouver last night on the Charmer.

Hon. W. J. Bowser left last night on the Charmer for Vancouver.

V. A. Wolfenden went over to Vancouver last night on the Charmer.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Lofts, of Arms street, leave for England today.

Miss Ina Bodwell left yesterday via the Northern Pacific on a visit to Spokane.

A. S. Dumbleton, accompanied by his daughter, left yesterday afternoon on a short trip to Portland.

Mrs. Thornton Fell left yesterday via the Northern Pacific on a visit to her mother at Belleville, Ont.

G. S. Haslam and Mrs. Haslam, of Winnipeg, are staying at the Dominion.

Mrs. Englehardt left on Tuesday for a visit to Seattle, where she will see the A. Y. P. exposition.

Monsieur Gaspard Edesse from Paris, France, is among the latest arrivals in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Julius Blumenthal from San Francisco are enjoying a short visit to Victoria.

Mr. Wickersham, who has been

spending a short time visiting in Victoria, left yesterday for Burma.

Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Herman and Miss Ella Herman from Portland, are enjoying a short visit to Victoria.

Mr. William Matison from London, England, is among the latest arrivals in Victoria from the Old Country.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Wilson of Salt Spring Island left Victoria yesterday by the Montague on a visit to Japan.

Mrs. Jean Blewett is visiting in Vancouver and will be the guest tomorrow of Mrs. Isabel Ecclesstone Mackay at an at home given in her honor.

Mrs. J. L. Raymur and Miss Davida Raymur have gone to Shawnigan, where they will spend a holiday on their houseboat.

Mrs. J. L. Johnstone, of Lacomb, Alberta, and Miss Laird, of Prince Edward Island, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. McKay, Battery street.

Miss Cunningham, who has been visiting her aunt, Mrs. J. D. Gordon, leaves this week for Greenwood, where she has accepted a position as teacher.

Mrs. E. A. Norris, of "Lynn Regis," Esquimalt road, left by steamer Montague for Hankow, China, to visit Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Norris.

Miss G. Mackay is spending a few days at South Pender Island, as the guest of her sister, Mrs. Arthur Spalding.

Mr. William McCullough has gone up the Copper River with a party of timber experts, with a view to putting in mills at the mouth of Copper River.

Mrs. D. W. Twohy, who has been a guest at the Oak Bay hotel for some time, left yesterday afternoon on her return to her home in Spokane.

W. J. Camp, general manager of the C. P. R. telegraph service, accompanied by his wife, are guests at the Empress hotel.

Mrs. M. A. Vigor returned yesterday afternoon, after a ten days' tour of the East, where she visited the principal centres of fashion in the interest of her millinery business.

Mrs. E. Hudson and daughter left yesterday via the North Coast Limited for Montreal, whence they will



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P. Bovris left yesterday via the Northern Pacific and the Hamburg-American liner President Grant on a three months' trip to Hamburg and the continent.

Mrs. G. Vipond, Mr. Vipond, Mrs. Alexander, Miss Ethel Hodgson, Miss J. R. Pollard and Miss B. Pollard are a party from Nanaimo who are staying at the King Edward.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice, Despard, of Dundee, Scotland, who have been fishing at Campbell river, came down on Tuesday and will spend a week in Victoria.

Mr. J. J. O'Rourke, formerly of this city, but now a resident of Salt Lake City, has returned here to pay a visit to his mother, Mrs. E. O'Rourke, Humboldt street.


Mrs. Charles Oudin and daughters, who have been spending the past two months at the Oak Bay hotel, left yesterday afternoon via the Northern Pacific on their return to their home in Spokane.

Mr. Smith Hammill, a prominent carriage manufacturer of St. Catharines, Ont., is paying Victoria a visit. He goes on today to Seattle and thence to Colorado, returning home by way of Chicago.

Rev. T. E. Holling, Mrs. Holling and daughters were passengers on the E. & N. train yesterday morning. Mr. Holling went up to attend the district meeting at Duncan and Mrs. Holling and her little daughters went to Shawnigan for a short visit.

Among the passengers on the Charmer last night for Vancouver were Mrs. Yirling W. E. Scott, Milton Oppenheimer, C. W. Austin, W. B. Montell, R. M. McDonald, S. H. Griffiths, R. H. Campbell, J. E. Gray, W. W. Duncan, E. M. Brand, C. H. Gillis, W. E. Hardley.

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Madden Pierson, Seaman of Wrecked Schooner, Rescued When Nearly Too Late

New York, Aug. 18.—"By golly, I thought I was a goner," said Madden Pierson, the missing seaman of the wrecked schooner Arlington, when he was picked up today by the fishing schooner Irene and Mary, after drifting without food, drink or sleep for 27 hours on a crazy raft of lashed spars. Then he took a long pull from the captain's flask, swallowed a cup of piping hot coffee and turned in without further comment. Not until he awoke from a sound sleep did he complete his narrative.

While Pierson was rolled up in blankets below, Captain Ericsson, of the Irene and Mary, was making something of a hero, of "Sport," a black, curly-haired spaniel, the schooner's mascot. For an hour before the rescue Sport had been snuffing the windward air, pawing the rail and yelping excitedly. Puzzled by the dog's actions, the captain took a sharp lookout, and when he saw what looked like a buoy slipped from its moorings he headed the schooner for it. He soon could make out the figure of a man waving his undershirt. It was Pierson.

Refreshed, fed and in dry clothing, Pierson told his story. He is a big blonde Swede with a viking's mustache, and is 48 years old.

"I had just made fast a life line shot out to us by the coast guards," he said, "when I was washed overboard. When I got my head out of the water I saw a bit of drifting wreckage near me. There were iron bolts on it, and loose ends of cordage. With these I lashed myself fast, leaving play enough so that I could stand erect and wave my shirt. It was early morning, and I could see that I was rapidly being carried out to sea. All day Tuesday I shouted and waved my flag. All last night I fought off the numbing cold. Sixteen vessels, one a revenue cutter, passed me, but I could not attract their attention.

"At last I could see by the way the Irene and Mary changed her course that the lookout had sighted me.

"I have been a sailor for twenty-two years, but no schooner ever looked so good to me as did Irene and Mary beating up to windward."

When the schooner took Pierson, he was almost too weak to stand and too stiff to sit down.

The rescue of Pierson ten miles off Atlantic Heights, and about 16 miles straight away from the spot on Long Beach where the Arlington went ashore early on Tuesday morning, accounts for the captain and crew of nine, all safe ashore, though the schooner herself is an abandoned hulk.

Pierson was brought to New York tonight and fitted out with new clothes by Capt. Ericsson. He expects to ship again.

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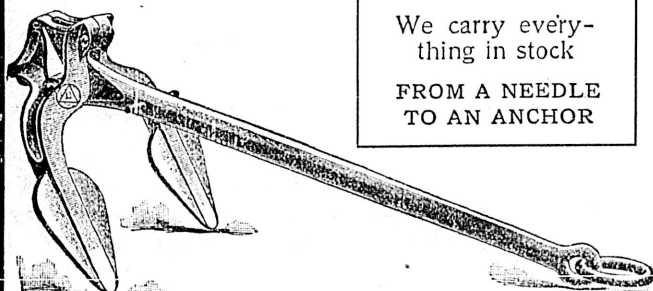
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NEWS OF THE CITY

Resumes Trips.

The sternwheeler White Swan has resumed her trips from the Causeway to the big basin at the head of Victoria Arm. It leaves at 2 p. m., 4 p. m., and 8 p. m.

Fence on Fire

Hot ashes piled against the fence at the residence of Mrs. McQuade, corner of Vancouver and Burdette streets, gave the fire department a run yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock. The blaze did little damage.

British Campaigners

A meeting of the British Campaigners Association will be held at the Drill hall tomorrow night when important business will be considered, and a full attendance is anticipated.

Christian Endeavor Society

The Christian Endeavor society of the First Presbyterian church, will meet in the schoolroom this evening, at 8 p. m. The subject is "Two Prayer Lessons."

Lusitania's Cargo

The Cunarder Lusitania reached New York yesterday from Liverpool with 1,376 passengers. The Cunarder Ivernia arrived at Boston from Liverpool with 1,008 passengers and the Carpathia from Naples landed at New York with 1,323 passengers.

Ten Minute Service.

The increase of traffic on the Gorge car line has induced the B. C. Electric railway to institute a ten minute service on the line, commencing at 1:50 p. m. every day, and continuing until 11 p. m. From 6 a. m. until 1:50 p. m. the usual twenty minute service is maintained, cars also leaving for the Gorge at 11:20 p. m. and 11:40 p. m.

To Give Concert

The Victoria Male Voice choir, conducted by J. M. Morgan, will give a concert at the Gorge on the night of Tuesday, August 31, in aid of the Protestant Orphan's Home. It was at first arranged to give this concert on September 14, but the earlier date has been substituted, as it is thought the weather is more likely to be suitable for an open air concert. All friends of the Orphanage are asked to keep the evening free.

Completing Purchase

The provincial government has about completed the purchase of the balance of the lots lying to the south of the provincial buildings and with the drill hall composing the balance of the block upon which the government buildings stand. While no official announcement has as yet been made, it is likely that the next estimates will contain an item providing for the erection of a new wing of the buildings.

Activity in Realty Market

Renewed activity in the real estate market is reported generally by local agents. A large number of real estate transactions have taken place in the past couple of weeks, and the volume of enquiry is heavy. Grant & Lineham have in the past two weeks sold thirty-four lots in the Fairfield estate. They report the sale of three houses on Blanchard street, a house on Pandora street, a business lot on Douglas street, and a lot at Sooke lake, and all within the last fortnight.

Forestry on Prairies.

A special meeting of the Canadian Forestry Association to deal with subjects referring particularly to conditions in the prairie provinces, will be held at Regina, Sask., on September 3rd and 4th. Matters to come up for discussion are: Tree planting on the Eastern and Western sections of the prairies, forest reserves, game protection, growing wood for fuel and for windbreaks, and the relation of forests to the conservation of moisture.

Enforcing the Bylaw

Hereafter all bylaws relating to vehicles will be strictly enforced. Auto drivers will be compelled to place their rear lights in such a position that the number of the machine will be distinctly visible at night and all licensed drivers of other vehicles must wear their license number in a conspicuous place so that it can be readily seen. A constable has been detailed to see that the regulations are enforced and all offenders will be summoned to appear in the police court.

Speaks Thirteen Languages

Speaking thirteen different languages, a minister of the Gospel put on the outlook for a better job, possessing a wife and sister of linguistic attainments similar to his own, a resident of Stettin, Alta., has written to the Vancouver Island Development League asking what are the prospects for himself and family in this district. The languages with which the prospective settler is acquainted are: English, German, French, Spanish, Italian, Slavie, Hungarian, Croatian, Bohemian, Slovak, Polish, Russian and Ruthenian.

Music of Mexico.

Probably no one in Victoria ever saw a musical instrument like the one used by De Harpist and Scott, prior to their introducing it at the Pantages this week, called the Mexican Sortorio, from which, and accompanied by a triple decked guitar, is produced some of the sweetest music ever heard here. It corresponds, in a way, to a great zither, and there are not a half-dozen people in the United States and Canada who can play it.

It is a great show there on Johnson street, simply full of novel surprises and pleasing specialties.

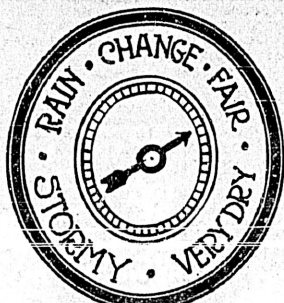
You can assist to develop Victoria by voting for the Tramway agreement.

G. H. Bissell left last night en route for the East, on a business trip. Mr. Bissell will visit Toronto, Montreal, New York, and all prominent cities of the East, and expects to return with a full line of the latest novelties for the Tailoring business.

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THE WEATHER

Meteorological office, Victoria, B. C., at 8 p. m., August 18, 1909.

SYNOPSIS.

The North Pacific high area is now central over British Columbia and the pressure has given way in the Pacific states; with the exception of a thunderstorm at Salt Lake City no rainfall has been reported. The weather has been fine and warm in the Prairie provinces and it has been very hot between the American ranges the temperature reaching 98 at Walla Walla and 102 at Red Bluff, Cal.

TEMPERATURE.

	Min.	Max.
Victoria	49	74
Vancouver	49	76
New Westminster	50	80
Kamloops	54	92
Barkerville	44	62
Port Simpson	50	58
Atlin	42	60
Dawson, Y. T.	38	66
Calgary, Alta.	42	80
Winnipeg, Man.	54	78
Portland, Ore.	66	90
San Francisco, Cal.	52	60

FORECASTS.

For 24 hours from 5 a. m. (Pacific Time) Thursday:
Victoria and Vicinity: Light to moderate winds, generally fair with stationary or lower temperature.

Lower Mainland: Light to moderate winds, generally fair with stationary or lower temperature.

WEDNESDAY.

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One-fifth acre, part of section 14 of range 6, Chemalvus district, with butcher shop, complete with fittings and furnishings; cash register, marble topped counter, racks, blocks, scales, etc., office fittings, consisting of safe, filing cabinet, stove, stationery, etc., sausage kitchen, supplies of machinery, electric fixtures, splices, etc.

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In the matter of Lot 1943, Block 65, Victoria City, excepting the easterly 17 feet thereof.

And in the matter of the Quietling Titles Act.

NOTICE Henry Emanuel Levy, who claims to be the owner of an estate in fee simple in the above land, has applied to this court under the above act to have his title judicially investigated, and that the Registrar General of Titles, to whom the petition has been referred, has decided to grant said application, and at the expiration of four weeks from the first publication of this notice, will sign a declaration of title in favor of said applicant, unless an adverse claim be previously filed in the Registry of the Supreme Court at Victoria.

Dated at Victoria, the Ninth day of August, A. D. 1909.
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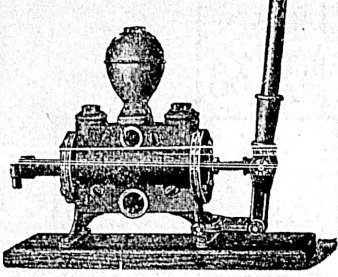
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CONSERVATION OF B. C. TIMBER

Forestry Commission Hears Experts—Question of Fire Protection

The British Columbia Timber and Forestry Commission brought its scheduled sessions in Victoria to a conclusion yesterday afternoon, although it is possible that an extra session may be called here. In the afternoon a short session was held, E. McGaffey, secretary of the Vancouver Island Development League, speaking before the commissioners.

He had come primarily, he said, to support a resolution of the Claycoquet Development League, asking the British Columbia government that the agricultural lands within timber limits should be thrown open for settlement.

In answer to this resolution the chairman, the Hon. F. Fulton, pointed out that all the unalienated timber in the province had been reserved since December, 1907.

Mr. McGaffey then went on to suggest that the government should acquire reserves on Vancouver Island. He elaborated on the value of the forests, stating that the time to conserve these was now. The government should reserve blocks of from 100 to 200 acres in Claycoquet, Alberni, Cameron Lake, Nanaimo, Colwood, Shawinigan Lake, Chemainus, and Cumberland districts. He pointed out that such reserves would only conserve the timber but would also have an educative value.

Want Estimated Area
The commissioners expressed a desire to obtain an estimate of the amount of timber in the province, but V. A. Anstie, secretary of the B. C. Lumber and Logging company, who was asked for the information was unable to furnish figures. He, however, stated that he would endeavor to obtain a list of forest acreage in each district and from these a total could be taken.

The sessions of the commission then adjourned in Nanaimo today.

There were three important items on the stand at yesterday morning's session, namely, E. E. Billingham, of the British Columbia Development Association; R. H. Campbell, superintendent of the Forestry Department of the Dominion service, and J. A. Sayward, of Victoria, a practical lumberman of many years' experience.

Timber in Dry Belt

Mr. Billingham spoke chiefly of the state of affairs in the dry belt. He thought that in these districts it was of the utmost importance that the timber should be protected. If it was removed it would be found, he declared, that the efforts being made to provide satisfactory irrigation would be seriously interfered with. Without the protection by means of the shade of the trees from the sun's rays the artificial lakes that might be installed would be robbed through the process of evaporation. Even now it was figured that 50 per cent. of the water was lost in this way. Under the circumstances he thought that the Commission would be doing something in British Columbia's interests, certainly in the interests of the dry belt, if it was provided that the standing timber, what there was of it, in the dry belt, should be allowed to remain.

On his introduction Mr. Campbell, of the Dominion Government service, spoke, and strongly emphasized, the necessity of the protection of the timber against fire. That was the big problem which the different provinces and the Dominion as a whole had to face and endeavor to solve.

He described in detail the system that had been adopted by the Federal authorities. Reference was made to the duties of the chief rangers in the different districts. He was required to keep daily note of his movements, and thus the department was kept in direct touch with their employees, the conditions prevailing in different parts, and to know what was being done to ensure the Dominion's land from being denuded of its forest wealth by the depredations of the huge summer conflagrations.

It had been found, Mr. Campbell said, that the posting of notices outlining the Dominion law had had a most beneficial effect on the public. The result, in a general way, was that the people had become more careful, a proper respect of the authorities being engendered because of their evident sincerity.

Reserves in B. C.

With respect to the settling aside of Dominion reserves, Mr. Campbell said that something over one million acres of British Columbia lands had been thus dealt with. In the adopting of such a policy there were several objects in view. Of course that of prime importance was the preservation of the timber. Another, however, was the protection of the game. And a second, by the cutting of a border around the area selected, to afford a point from which possible fires could be fought.

In making a selection of reserves it was important that the ground should be of a character not suitable for agriculture. It wouldn't be a wise thing to shut up a large block of property which, if cleared of its tall standing timber, might be converted into some of the choicest farming holdings anywhere available. That wouldn't be a foresighted policy. Therefore the character of the property and the watershed on it, as well as other conditions, had to be considered.

Mr. Campbell stated that his department had recently taken steps to have the reserves of Canada surveyed in a most thorough manner. Small parties were being sent into the forests set aside and their reports would show the amount of timber available, the best means available for cutting and marketing it and other particulars wanted for departmental use.

Reforestation Discussed
At present the Dominion government was busy experimenting with the reforestation by seeding and planting. He described the methods adopted in detail and concluded with the assertion that as yet it was impossible to say definitely whether either process was likely to be satisfactory.

In some parts of the eastern states good results had been received from seeding but whether this would be practicable in British Columbia was a question which he felt inclined to doubt. In fact he thought that the important thing was to study what was best to be done by loggers in timbering to leave the cut ground in such shape as to facilitate the natural reforestation. That was what

should be done in British Columbia, that ascertained regulations could be introduced which would allow the second growth to follow naturally much quicker and more prodigally than in the east.

Mr. Campbell outlined the Dominion government's system of letting out the timber lands to the lumbermen. The holdings were issued to the highest bidder and those obtaining them were entitled to retain them until the land was denuded of all the merchantable timber. This was the equivalent of a perpetual title, or, at least, a title that was as good as long as there was timber on the land. Just exactly how long that meant or when property might be desired to be without "merchantable" timber was a point that hadn't yet been settled.

Why Land Isn't Cleared.

There were two reasons why the Federal authorities had not introduced regulations insisting on the clearing of the land over which there had been logging in progress. One was that if the land was used in clearing it was not improbable that the efforts being made to minimize the risk from conflagration would be defeated and the other because the young trees would be injured, in fact, probably killed. This would seriously interfere with the development of the second growth.

In response to Commissioner Fulton it was stated by Mr. Campbell that the cost of protecting the timber of the railway belt in British Columbia was heavy. Last year about thirty men had been employed on that work.

Questioned further the witness expressed the opinion that the system of offering timber to the highest bidder and letting the prices rise accordingly had been an exceptional good one. J. A. Sayward, at the outset of his testimony, took occasion to refer to the importance of inaugurating a system for fire fighting in British Columbia. He had been present during Mr. Campbell's remarks and wished to say that his opinions thereto were most potent and commendable.

The suggestion that the lumberman should be called on to assist the provincial government in defraying the expense of the contemplated further precaution against the destroying of timber by summer fires, Mr. Sayward said would be quite fair. As far as he was concerned he would be willing that the cost be evenly divided.

Financing Difficulty.

Continuing, he referred to the provincial system of timber licenses, affirming that it was easy to understand that under the license issued, it would be difficult for the holder to obtain financial assistance from the banks.

The Dominion government method, he declared, would be more favorable to the lumberman.

"Why?" asked Commissioner Fulton. "The provincial license is issued for twenty-one years."

"Twenty-one years is not a long time," replied Mr. Sayward. "The bank wouldn't loan money on such a document while they would on a title which read that it was good as long as there was marketable timber on the land in question."

Mr. Sayward was asked his opinion, as a practical lumberman, of the provincial policy with regard to the duty on exported logs. There were certain classes of logs which it was more profitable to export. This was true of cedar, for instance. On this side of the line there was a market for all other classes of logs. There was a surplus of cedar. Strange to say, in the States the cedar was scarce. Thus it would be in the interests of British Columbia merchants and of the industry generally that this style of logs should be permitted to be taken to the other side without penalty.

Commissioner Fumerton wanted the witness's opinion as to the effect of introducing a regulation compelling timber limit holders to erect mills and do a certain amount of development work in a stated period.

Mr. Sayward replied that it would be a first-class step, because it would tend to keep the lumberman from handling British Columbia timber and retarding its exploitation.

MORE PUBLICITY FOR ISLAND

Development League Executive Authorizes Extension of Advertising Campaign

The publicity campaign now being carried out, and further projects for its advancement, were the principal subjects discussed at a meeting of the executive of the Vancouver Island Development League held at the board of trade rooms yesterday morning. The following were present: J. G. Wilson, president; S. Leiser, A. W. McCurdy, H. Kent, J. Kingham, C. H. Luggin, John Nelson, A. Henderson, and secretary E. McGaffey.

The question of the amount of literature placed at the A. Y. P. exposition came up, and the secretary was instructed to send 15,000 additional Guides to Victoria, over, and to expend \$75 in leaflets and other advertising matter for the exposition. He was further instructed to get figures on the cost of a new leaflet dealing with the resources of the island. Propositions dealing with additional advertising, received from several sources, were held over through lack of time, and will be dealt with at the next meeting of the executive.

The following resolution from the Claycoquet Development League came up for discussion: "That the provincial government be asked to so amend the Land Act that agricultural land now included in timber limits may become available for settlers."

It was moved that a copy of this resolution be sent to the Hon. F. Fulton, minister of lands in the B. C. government, and that a copy also be submitted to the Timber and Forestry Commission now in session here.

The accounts of the treasurer, audited by the city auditor and found correct, were submitted to the meeting. The meeting then adjourned.

A vote for the Tramway agreement is a vote for linking the fruit and agricultural lands adjacent to Victoria with the city.

SCANDINAVIANS TO OPEN UP ISLAND

Can Combine Fishing With Agricultural Pursuits as in Europe

A special effort to induce Scandinavian settlers to come in to the northern end of Vancouver Island will be made by the development league. Since the recent campaign of publicity commenced, twelve Norwegian families have settled in the Claycoquet district.

There are conditions which make the northern half of the island peculiarly attractive to Norwegians and Swedes. The farmers of both these countries like to live near the sea-coast, where they can combine fishing with their agricultural pursuits. There is at present a settlement known as the Holberg settlement, in the Claycoquet district, composed of a number of Scandinavians. Both land and water conditions are somewhat analogous to those prevalent on the Norwegian coast, and as the inhabitants of the Scandinavian peninsula make ideal settlers, it is thought that a large influx of these nationalities will do much for the advancement of the island.

The development league is at present considering the advisability of advertising in Scandinavian papers, and the settlers in Claycoquet will be consulted in the matter.

JUSTICE RESERVES HIS DECISION

Case of Salmon Arm Constable Dealt With in Chambers

In chambers yesterday Mr. Justice Martin reserved his decision on the application for a writ of habeas corpus made by E. V. Bodwell, K. C., on behalf of James Thompson, the municipal constable at Salmon Arm, whose commitment for trial under somewhat unusual circumstances has aroused a good deal of interest. Thompson was committed on the charge of having committed a prisoner to a prison to escape who was at the time in lawful custody.

From the affidavits filed and read in court yesterday, it appears that the trouble arose over an Indian who had been convicted for having intoxicated himself in his possession. He was sentenced by the local justices to two weeks in jail, but was told that his punishment would be reduced if he told who gave him the liquor. Accordingly the man gave the name of another Indian, and the rest of his sentence was commuted for a fine of \$10, he having already served eight days of that period. On the trial of the other Indian, however, the first delinquent swore that he had got the whiskey from a white man. This seems to have annoyed the justices for he told him that now he would have to serve the whole of his sentence, and told the constable to take him back to jail.

This was where the trouble came in. Thompson had no papers of any kind authorizing him to hold the Indian, and on applying for same was not given any. At this the reeve of Salmon Arm and the Indian agent, the Rev. John MacDougall, told him to let the man go, which he did. He reported his action to Justice of the Peace Bodwell, and a summons was later issued charging him with the offence stated. However, there was no information sworn to, and the only evidence against him was his own report to the justice. When he wanted to see the information he was told that his own statement constituted the information. Reeve Evans appeared on his behalf and protested against these and other alleged irregularities, but to no purpose, and Thompson was committed.

Mr. Bodwell's chief point was that a sworn informant of some kind was a condition precedent to the justice having jurisdiction to hold a preliminary hearing. As there was no information the whole matter was a nullity, and he cited numerous authorities. He also complained of other alleged irregularities.

Deputy Attorney General MacLean, who appeared for the Crown, contended that the lack of information did not matter once the man was before the magistrate and knew what offense he was alleged to have committed. He strongly upheld the justices, and said that the whole trouble was the fault of the Reeve and the Indian agent, who were meddling busybodies interfering in what did not concern them.

Thompson is out on his own recognizance, so his lordship said that he would take time to consider the matter, a nice and important point of law being at issue.

PRESS WOMAN HERE

Miss Marjorie MacMurchy in the City on Pleasure Tour

Miss Marjorie MacMurchy, president of the Woman's Press Club of Canada, is visiting Victoria. Miss MacMurchy is a sister of Dr. Helen MacMurchy, with whom the nurses were so greatly charmed a few days ago.

Miss MacMurchy is on the staff of the Toronto News and has occupied the position of literary editor of that paper for some years. She, as well as the honorary president of the Canadian Woman's Press Club, Mrs. Clara Fitzgibbon, is anxious that western press women shall join the organization. Miss MacMurchy believes all should work for the unity of Canada. For this as well as to keep in touch with one another, organization is needed. The club has now twenty-one members, but this is far from including all the women writers in Canada. Miss MacMurchy has a wide acquaintance among Canadian authors and writers and thinks highly of the work of many of them.

She is staying at the Rocabella and will remain here till the beginning of next week. Her brother, Mr. Angus MacMurchy, who remained behind at Banff, will, probably, arrive in Victoria on Saturday.

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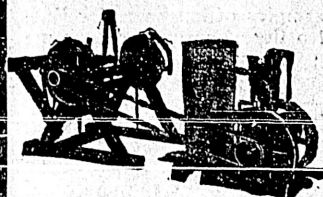
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Here and There

Now that the girls of all sizes and ages are preparing for school, the question of what they shall wear during the next term is taking no little share of the thoughts of many mothers. Everyone likes to see the little women looking nice. The teacher must be grim indeed who does not look with pleasure on the rows of girls in dainty white or pretty print frocks, as they assemble on Monday morning. The love of pretty things is common to us all and need not be a weakness, even if it were not useless to try to uproot it.

But the love of dress does not always mean a love of beauty. Nothing is beautiful that is not fitting. School is a place for work, and nothing should be worn there that will in any way interfere with work. The ornaments which a little girl may wear with propriety are not suitable for the dress of a schoolgirl. Rings and brooches and necklaces have their place, but it is not the schoolroom. In our democratic country the teacher may not forbid any girl to dress as her mother thinks fitting. It is all the more necessary that the good taste and the good feeling of mothers should prevent their daughters from wearing ornaments which distract not only their own attention but that of their classmates from their work.

Rich material and elaborate work are equally out of place in the garments of school children. Among gentlefolks in the old land this is felt, and it is quite possible that there are many little girls in the classes of any Victoria school whose frocks are more beautiful and costly than those in which the little granddaughter of the King of England learns her lessons, or plays with her brothers or sisters.

This is not a trivial matter. The envy and jealousy which the poor have for the rich too often begin in the schoolroom. Often, as their elders, their appearance is deceptive. It is not always the children of the wealthiest parents who are most richly clad. But children seldom understand this, and it is often in the schoolroom that the worship of mere money begins, which is perhaps even more to be deprecated than the envy of those who possess it.

In almost every class in any of our Canadian schools there are to be seen little cliques of finely dressed girls. Very often these children are the envy of their schoolmates, and almost always are a source of trouble and anxiety to their teachers. No matter how lovable, amiable, or clever these children may be, naturally, the love of dress spoils them. It is such girls who, when they grow older, spend hours on the street displaying their finery unless their mothers have learned their folly and checked a habit which should never have been allowed to grow. How much the extravagance and love of display among women is due to the custom of overdressing little girls it would be hard to tell. The passion for dress is responsible for no small share of the unhappiness in the world, and it is more common than most of us would be willing to confess.

There is another side to this question of overdressing girls which should not be overlooked. It is the unhappiness it causes to those girls who must go plainly clad. Many a girl's temper has been spoiled by the consciousness of the snubs of those who despise her because her parents are poor. It is quite true that she should have more sense than to fret about such things. Certainly, if the school is what it should be, the great majority of children would learn to value one another for moral worth and intellectual ability rather than for what they believe to be the signs of wealth. But such a public opinion is not easy to form. Every mother who sends her little girl to school overdressed, not only injures her own child, but encourages the love of dress and a vulgar worship of wealth among her classmates, or adds to the envy, hatred, and all uncharitableness which are forming in this new world class distinctions more hateful than those which exist in the old.

Teachers cannot exercise too much wisdom and tact in dealing with this matter of dress. It is little less than a crime to allow any child to feel that poverty is something to be ashamed of. While neatness and cleanliness must be insisted upon, the danger of wounding the sensitiveness of a child ought never to be lost sight of.

One of the most pleasant incidents noticed in any schoolroom was the kindness with which, at a school festival, the children treated the poorest member of the class. There was nothing of condescension in the bearing of the little people, and the beaming face of the shabby little girl showed how greatly she valued the love of the boys and girls who had been so good to her. The children of that school were learning lessons than which none could be more valuable. To give without wounding, to receive favors without pain: is there anything that can add more to the happiness of a world where, after nineteen centuries, it is still true that "the poor ye have with you always." But, perhaps, this is another story.

The Eastern papers are full of allusions to the intense heat. In Montreal it is said that more than a hundred babies are dying every week. There are nearly half a million people in this largest of Canadian cities, but even so, this proportion is far too large.

One of the Montreal papers, in commenting on this terrible mortality, says it is not the heat which kills the little ones, but the stifling air. The editor then shows how closely the houses are built together, and how difficult it is for the air to circulate among them. In New York there are building regulations which prevent this excessive crowding, though so much has been said of the awful condition of the overcrowded tenements in that city.

It may seem absurd to fancy that Victoria will some day suffer from the same cause which causes complaints in Montreal. We have now such an abundance of room. We will never have the intense heat which makes life in Montreal, Winnipeg or Toronto well nigh intolerable. The fresh, brine-laden breezes that come from the Complan will always prevent the air of our city from becoming stagnant. But so far as men care, do it, have they not begun already to bring about the overcrowding which is complained of elsewhere. Everywhere beautiful homes are being erected. But is it not true that in many places the space around the homes that makes Victoria so attractive is becoming smaller? This is inevitable in the business streets. Here rows of buildings with the smallest possible space between them must be the rule. But should the contractors or landowners in the residential parts of Victoria be allowed to erect houses without any space between them?

The business and manufacturing streets must always encroach upon the residential part of the town. That we must expect and should wish for. But ought we to crowd our dwelling houses together? This is a question which does not seem to press for an answer now, but we should not forget that in this, as in many other ways, we are building for the future. Must we go on making the same mistakes as have been made by the builders of cities in the past?

The rich and fashionable women of the United States have taken up a new pursuit. The craft of weaving, which in pioneer days was so important an avocation of strong and skillful women, has been adopted by them as a pastime.

But though many will, doubtless, follow the fashion of the season and then drop it for another, the consequence of this revival of an old art is likely to have important consequences. To another industry will be added to those that can be carried on by poor women in their own homes, and as long as hand-woven fabrics are fashionable good prices will be received for them.

The following article from an exchange shows that already the new employment is occupying many busy hands:

"Curtains of the twined linen, and blue and purple and scarlet, with cherubim of cunning work," referred to in the Old Testament, are now being wrought in spare moments by some of the younger women of society who find that the delights of running a hand loom are superior to those of bridge, and that the reputation gained thereby is far more novel and interesting. To exhibit a room in which all the visible furnishings are woven in the same design in colors to match the wall paper, and that by one's own hand, is a great delight, and more than one young woman is able to do it. A well known Massachusetts woman has copied the quaint designs of her own great-grandmother, and women who are interested in the welfare of the villagers in their various summer homes are learning hand weaving with the idea of teaching it in the Girls' Friendly Societies.

This concerted movement means that all the Eastern and some of the Middle and Southern states will have an old industry revived, and it is predicted that the various states will have definite designs, like hallmarks, that will be always known as coming from a particular quarter. A pine tree, for instance, will mark the Massachusetts work, and so on. Mrs. George Vanderbilt has already started a number of these looms among her Baltimore proteges, and they are turning out blue and white counterpanes that are copies of "old timers." These women are keeping to the more homely and larger sized articles for home use, leaving the smaller affairs for women who are taking weaving up merely to while away the time that hangs heavily on their hands amid luxurious surroundings. To the fact is a blessing, and it is quite in keeping with a Colonial mansion to have a weaving room.

To be really mistress of this craft the art of dyeing the skeins of warp and woof must be understood as intimately as the throwing of the shuttle, but among those who take up weaving as a pastime few are likely to go into it as seriously as this. The weaving itself, unless the piece is of unusual and intricate design, is not difficult, but it requires a steady hand and a keen eye. The work is of a kind that will not hurt the hands or even interfere with the most elaborate frock, and the monotonous passing of the shuttle, it is claimed, is an excellent nerve cure.

Ordinarily about four or five inches can be done in an hour by an expert weaver, but it will take all day to thread a loom for fine weaving, and here is where the greatest care and patience are necessary.

The loom is a good sized affair, and for weaving in comfort requires a room with a strong light that is used for no other purpose. Here the loom may be placed to get the best light: one or two wooden chests or old trunks can hold the skeins, and a long box also should be placed near by to hold the loose extra portions of the loom, such as rods and duplicate shuttles, or anything necessary for repairs.

THE Y. W. C. A.

This is a comparatively young society here. It is true, it is some time since an association was formed. But it was not till within the last few years that the want of help for young women which the home and the church could not afford, has been felt.

It is about two years since the society under its present management was organized. At first a room on Government street was rented to serve as a meeting place for business girls. It consisted of a hall where religious services and social meetings could be held.

An attempt was made, too, to furnish cheap lunches for the girls who could not go home at mid-day. It was, however, found that among the young women passing through the city and those who live here there was a demand for lodging as well as board. A house was, last summer, rented on Pandora street. It was considered to be larger than would be needed to accommodate the greatest number possible. During last month it was too small for the visitors who wished to stay there and lodging was found for many in homes or elsewhere.

This part of the work has been given to Miss Harger. Her duty it is to meet the boats and to bring to the home all who ask for her assistance. As has been said many women visiting

the city take advantage of the cheapness and the safety of the Y. W. C. A. rooms and there is seldom a vacant bed.

Employment is found for all who wish it, and very often girls and women return to the home when they want a rest or between intervals of employment. A few mornings since Miss Harger, the traveler's aid, was conducting a very young girl and her little sister to the Seattle boat. These were English girls who had come from London to meet their mother in Port Townsend. They had crossed the continent alone but had been met in most cities by such an officer and had arrived here safely. So far there have not been many instances of those needing such protection, but many have appeared to Miss Harger for direction and information. So far the Y. W. C. A. is doing good work.

But it is far from being as effective as it should be. There are many young girls at work in Victoria who need the kind of supervision of such women as Miss Schofield, the present, or Miss Gilbert, the former, secretary and matron. But the building is not suitable for a home for such girls. There are few single bedrooms and these are taken. What is wanted is a much larger building in a central part of the city where young girls could have suitable accommodation and careful guardianship.

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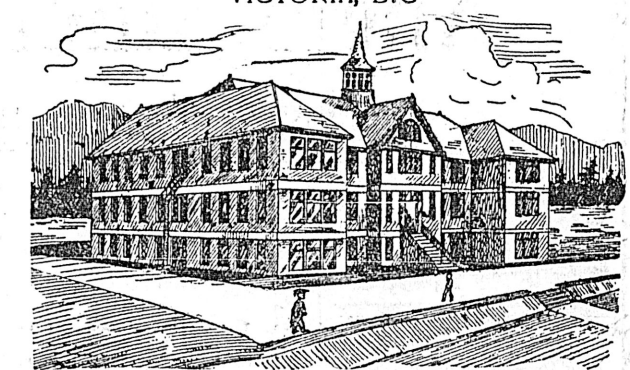
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Conrad Hubenette, of the Swedish A. C., San Francisco, who won the California Marathon race last May, defeating a big field, is the latest entrant for the local distance event. He wired his entry yesterday, and will be here tomorrow. This will be his first appearance in the professional ranks. Peter Paul, a South Sea Islander, who was well up in front in the Tacoma Marathon, which was run a few weeks ago, has also entered, and arrived from the South last evening.

Following are the entries: C. Hubenette, Swedish A. C., San Francisco; Peter Paul, Tacoma; John D. Marsh, Winnipeg; Fred Meadows, Guelph, Ont.; Aleck Rowan, Nanaimo; Carl Birch, Aberdeen, Wash.; R. A. Wilson, Tacoma; William Stanley, San Francisco; Peter Terway, Calgary; Charlie Rasmussen, Vancouver.

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Northwestern League		
Vancouver	R. H. E.	
Seattle	5 5 1	
At Tacoma		
Spokane	3 4 0	
Tacoma	6 9 0	
At Portland		
Aberdeen	3 5 6	
Portland	6 6 3	

Pacific Coast League		
At Los Angeles—11 innings—	R. H. E.	
Oakland	5 8 0	
Los Angeles	2 6 2	
At San Francisco		
Portland	2 6 0	
San Francisco	0 3 4	
At Sacramento		
Sacramento	1 7 1	
Vernon	0 3 4	

National League		
At Pittsburgh—1st game—	R. H. E.	
Pittsburgh	4 10 6	
St. Louis	3 8 1	
2nd game—		
Pittsburgh	2 2 1	
St. Louis	1 4 0	
At Philadelphia—1st game—		
Philadelphia	1 8 1	
New York	14 17 2	
2nd game—		
Philadelphia	4 8 6	
New York	5 11 1	
At Chicago		
Chicago	1 3 0	
Cincinnati	0 6 1	

American League		
At Detroit—	R. H. E.	
Detroit	0 5 6	
Chicago	2 9 0	
At Cleveland—1st game—		
Cleveland	3 6 0	
St. Louis	0 6 4	
2nd game—		
Cleveland	3 7 0	
St. Louis	2 9 2	
At Washington—		
Washington	1 8 0	
Philadelphia	2 11 0	
At New York—1st game—		
Boston	3 7 0	
New York	0 3 2	
2nd game—		
Boston	6 9 2	
New York	3 5 0	

Eastern League		
1st game—	R. H. E.	
Montreal	1 9 2	
Toronto	16 18 1	
2nd game—		
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Vanderbilt Horse Wins
Paris, Aug. 18.—The Prix de Deux Ans, for a purse of \$3,000, was run at Deauville today, and won by W. K. Vanderbilt's Mesdieu II. In the grand handicap de Deauville, value \$4,000, Mr. Vanderbilt's Sal Pietro finished third.

The Ump
Of all the inscrutable creatures there be
Atop of the earth or below in the sea,
The ump is the beatest being. He
Consorteth apart in mystery.

His integument's blue, there's a pad on his chest,
His frontal is masked and his features unguessed;
On his mind is a cap, and—well, as for the rest
Whatever it be, 'tis the subject of jest.

Oh, the ump's a pariah—the other team's tool
He bawls out decisions and balls up each rule;
He sure gets the vote As the champion goat;
There is never a crowd to be in the same boat.
The ump's get there bumps, but there's this to be said:
There is balm (vernal plasters) in Gilead.

The ump is a seer who was born with a caul;
The ump is a Solomon—under a pall;
One time he's the Saint, and the next minute Saul;
The ump's like the place Caesar tells of—all Gaul.

He's a modern Bazzaris—shouts "Strike!" with elan
(In the summer do doubt he likes batters to fan)
And if the armed foe should rebel at the plan
It's the barned quick for him and proscriptio by Ban.

Oh, the ump is a monarch, a pocket size czar;
He could even give points in that line to T. R.
He is always emphatic And often erratic;
The alienists say he has dust in his attic.

But brush him a bit and proceedings he stops—
And then strides from the field midst a cordon of cops.
—Maurice Morris, in the New York Sun.

Attell and Stone
Saratoa, Aug. 18.—Abbe Attell, the featherweight champion, and Harry Stone, of New York, tonight establish a draw tonight before the Saratoa Athletic club. Until the last two

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rounds Stone carried the fight to the champion from bell to bell. It was a tame and featureless exhibition. Two thousand racing men owners and trainers witnessed the bout.

SWIMMERS READY FOR FINAL TESTS

The second half of the British Columbia swimming championships will be held in Victoria waters Saturday, the various events, which, with those held last week at Vancouver, make up the annual programme, to be held at Gorge Park. Victoria sent a large delegation of competitors to the Mainland, and it is expected that Vancouver will follow suit, and that the pick of the swimming talent will be on hand. "Two months' residence in the province, and registration with the swimming association, are the qualifications for entrance. Secretary Brace of the British Columbia Amateur association, will receive entries for the local events up to tomorrow night.

Local swimmers have been training and practicing faithfully at the Y. M. C. A. headquarters at the Gorge for several weeks past, and Vancouver island should more than hold its own with the Mainland in the final series. The feature of the day's sport will be the relay race which is composed of teams with four men each to swim 50 yards; the teams entered in this race will compete for the Colonist challenge cup.

Another feature on the programme will be the comedy race in which the competitors will have to take part with all their wearing apparel including a hat, and will have to swim with an umbrella in one hand, using the other one to stroke with.

First and second prizes will be awarded in each event provided, of course, that there are three entries.

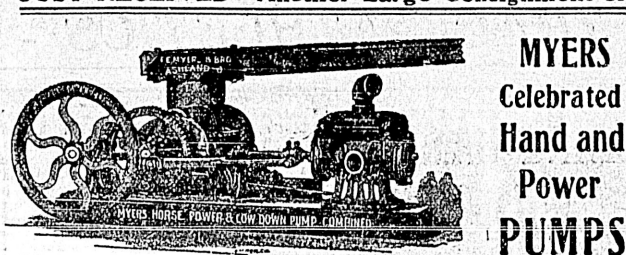
On last Saturday the first half of the championship programme was pulled off, the 50, 220 and half mile being the most important events.

On the coming Saturday the 100-yard dash, the 400-yard swim and the mile will be the pick of the senior events, while much interest is being taken in the long plunge and the relay race. The junior events will bring out a large number of the younger knights of the water both in the fifty and the twenty. The ladies' hundred yard race will be just an exhibition race as the championship for this event was won in the Terminal city by clever Miss Griffin, the speedy local swimmer. The balance of the day's sport will be the Victoria Cross race and the novelty race, which should supply considerable comedy. Pomford, Long, Ernie, Frank Crompton, Kiddle, and many other of the Victoria representative swimmers will be seen in action and should win some of the provincial championships. It is practically settled that Physical Director Plindley, of the Y. M. C. A. will act as starter, as his work in this capacity has always pleased, while the judges will be George Jay and Dan McIntosh.

In the American League the race has developed into a close fight between Philadelphia and Detroit, with the Boston Red Sox always a dangerous contender. While the Tigers have been weakened in the absence of "Wild Bill" Donovan. The great star of last season has been practically useless so far this summer. Had he been in shape and twirled the same magnificent brand of ball as a year ago it is easy to figure out where the Tigers would be. Should the Tigers be fortunate enough to land their third successive flag they will establish an American League record, but from present indications the champions are going to have the hardest kind of sledding before the goal of their ambition is reached.

Pittsburg is not going to have such a cinch in the National League after all, for Chicago is right on their heels at the present moment. With the Cubs playing on their top form and the Pirates showing weakness against

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second division clubs, the former have crept up until only a few points now separate them. It is an undeniable fact that without Wagner the Pittsburgh team is an altogether different aggregation, but with the famous Dutchman again back in the game the Pirates may be counted on to show their previous form. The showing of the New York Giants has been poor in comparison to what was expected. The loss of both Donlin and Bresnahan put the McGraw crew out of the running, and Gotham fans cannot hope for anything better than third place this season.

The New York Giants got ample revenge on the Chicago Cubs for knocking them out of the championship and a chance to share in the prize money of the world's championship series last autumn, by taking four straight games last week. After losing three straight games called upon Ed Roushbach, who had won fourteen straight games, to check the rout last Saturday, but big Ed lasted only one inning. The setback the Cubs got was duck soup for Pittsburgh, and it will take some tall hustling on the part of Chicago to make up that lost ground.

"Henry," the big monkey mascot of the New Orleans team that made such a decided hit with the Cleveland players last spring, especially with Heinie Berger, broke up a ball game in the Pelican city the other day. The vicious Simian, taunted by some of the players, broke away from the rope and ran into the grand stand, where pandemonium reigned among the ladies. Then he ran on the field and the umpire called the game until the Simian was captured. But it took 30 minutes to get him back to his pen next to the ball field.

An odd incident occurred in a semi-professional game in Chicago the other day. The umpire had a hole in his blouse, so that it would not hold extra balls not in play. Therefore he placed a ball on the ground back of the pitcher's box, and the batter hit through the pitcher's box, and the ball hit the one on the ground, with the result that one ball bounded to the shortstop and the other to the second baseman. Both fielders threw to the first baseman almost simultaneously, and he, seeing two balls coming, dodged out of the way.

Fined Two Hundred Dollars.
Vancouver, Aug. 18.—For setting fire to brush in another man's lot, Robert Smith, general manager of the B. C. Electric Railway, and Miss Fleurette (Dolly) Macpherson, elder daughter of Mrs. Edward Beetham.

Sperling—Macpherson.
Vancouver, Aug. 18.—The wedding took place at noon today of R. H. Sperling, general manager of the B. C. Electric Railway, and Miss Fleurette (Dolly) Macpherson, elder daughter of Mrs. Edward Beetham.

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By the way, Marquard is in bad with McGraw for not following instructions while pitching. He was told not to stick one in the groove for a well known "first-ball hitter." But he did it, just the same, and lost the game on the hit that followed.

Johnny Kling has said his last farewell for the 37th time. The former star catcher has learned that he can use the blue prints for the proposed Cincinnati billiard hall down in Brooklyn, or it may be that if sold to Brooklyn he knows he can make more use of the drawings in Cincinnati.

"I think the greatest pitcher—baseball has ever known is Walter Johnson," says Kid Elberfeld. "I have battled against all the present day cracks except Mathewson and can only judge Mathewson's work from having seen him. Why, Johnson can tell you

what's coming up and then you can't hit it."
"Danny Shay" has deserted the starling outlaw organization on the Pacific coast, and the former Cleveland third baseman has accepted the management of the Kansas City Blues. George Tobau is complimented in getting such a clever player to look after the Blues.

Clarke Griffith is positive that the Reds will finish in the first division this season. "I will not win the pennant, but we will be in the running," is the way that Griffith talks. He believes that the Reds have a chance to beat out New York, but his team will have to show better class than it did in the metropolis on the recent trip.

A peculiar feature of baseball is shown in the trade of Connors, by

Spokane, for Nerdylke, of Vancouver. The Canucks figured for a slugger, but Connors, who hit .340 in 60 games with Spokane, has started at a .105 clip in his new uniform, while Nerdylke, who was hitting .216, is slugging .444 with Spokane. He won the second game he was in with a home run.

"Brownie" Browning, the Seals' great pitcher and the smallest slabster in the Pacific Coast league, is the holder of the world's record for consecutive victories, celebrating his sixteenth straight one when he beat the Angels 10 to 2 the other day. The nearest to Brownie's mark were made by Jack Chesbro, the champion spit ball slabster, who won 14 in a row while with Pittsburg in 1902, and Ed Reulbach of the Cubs, who celebrated his fourteenth victory the other day.

TRACK ATHLETICS - LACROSSE - CRICKET

COMING GAME
WILL DECIDE

If Vancouver Twelve Meets
Defeat They Will Lose
Chance at Cup

WESTMINSTERS WILL
HAVE STRONG TEAM

Old Wrangle About Referees
Comes Up for Discussion
This Evening

Once again are the Mainland lacrosse fans alive with enthusiasm for the two great professional twelve men to meet again at the Royal City on the day after tomorrow.

The Westminster people are anxious that their team should win the coming match, as a victory will be the positive assurance that the much coveted Minto Cup will stay on the banks of the Fraser river for another year. The Salmon Bellies have defended the vice regal silverware this year successfully against the Capitals of Regina, the Tecumsehs of Toronto, and are now giving the Vancouver twelve the time of their life in the B. C. league series, but whether or not they will win out from Con Jones' wonders remains to be seen.

Since their last defeat by the champs the Vancouver players have been training for all that is in them and are determined to win all three of the remaining games; if the Terminals are successful in doing this they will be tie with the champions of the world and an additional series will have to take place.

The Salmon Bellies will have the advantage in Saturday's game in view of the fact that the game is to be played on their grounds. If any team can play to better advantage on their home grounds it is New Westminster. The only time that they were beaten at Queen's Park was the year 1905 was a few weeks ago when Vancouver did the trick. Now the question that is making the rounds in all lacrosse camps is: Will they be able to repeat their victory in the coming game?

Con Jones, the president of the Vancouver club, has protested the last game when Wells Gray took it upon his own shoulders to appoint his own referees without giving the Vancouver officials as much as a chance to say anything regarding the referees. The referee question will be a big feature. The lacrosse association was to have had a meeting early this week, but President Gray postponed the meeting until this evening, which will give them very little time to do with the old time trouble of securing men to take charge of the game.

The Royals are down to business again and in the next game they will have the strongest team this Saturday that they have had in the field this season. Old Dad Turnbull is out and about again and his injured ribs are getting along well. The war-scarred old veteran says he has no intention of hanging up his hickory for the season and he will endeavor to get a place on the team Saturday. They have been nursing our old friend Pat Feecey in the Royal City for some time past now, with the result that the little Irishman's rheumatics are going away rapidly and last evening he was out for a little practice, and Capt. Tommy Gifford seems satisfied

that he has a great amount of his old-time form still left in him. Although the definite line-up of the champions has not yet been announced, it is quite probable that the majority of the old stars will again be seen in action. Probably Lund and Galbraith will be dropped if the old-timers are put on the team.

The Vancouver line-up will probably be changed around a little as Weldon Matheson is all in with a bad side, and Ernie Murray has an injured leg that has kept him from showing up at practices of late. However, they may be all to the good before the whistle blows for the big game and it is safe to say that the Terminals will be prepared to give the champions the time of their life, when they face each other on the field again.

SHORT, SNAPPY SPORT

The Victoria Lacrosse Club will send a twelve over to Vancouver on tomorrow's boat. They will play the Atapie Leafs on Saturday.

Fred Meadows is considered Marsh's most dangerous opponent in Con Jones' Marathon that takes place at Vancouver, and many pick him to win the \$3,000 Derby.

It is practically settled that Chandler, the Vancouver long distance runner, will lose his amateur standing, and all that is necessary is the official announcement of the Mainland branch of the union. With Chandler out of the game, Frank Baylis will stand a great chance of winning the five mile provincial championship at the Terminal City next month.

Some doubt the sincerity of the story that has been wired west concerning Shrubbs' injury. Many of those in the know express the opinion the world's champion found out that Accose was a little too strong, and that he used the injured leg yarn as an excuse.

Shawnigan Lake will be the happy hunting ground of all those who wish to drown their sorrows next Saturday. All of the J. E. A. A. oarsmen are rounding into the pink of condition for the gigantic regatta, and a great water carnival is assured.

\$50,000 cannot buy a Jeffries-Johnson, according to the recent despatch. No wonder some of these able-bodied huskies refuse to work and have pipe dreams of becoming a world's champ some day. Wow. . . \$50,000.

The North Wards are attempting to arrange a match with the Nanaimo stick handlers. The speedy Wards have licked the Ladysmith twelve and now the coal heavers in Nanaimo are on the trail of a game with the local blue shirts. They will probably play in a week.

The soccer players that are to represent Victoria in the tourney that is to take place at the world's fair the last week of next month are now training for the big event. Last evening a big bunch of soccerists were booting the peckin out at Royal Park. Another workout will be held tomorrow evening.

Art Burn, the fast Calgary runner, is still in the city, and has been seen training on the grounds here on several occasions. Burn will work into shape by degrees, as the next race that he will run will be the amateur Marathon at Seattle next month. He will remain here another week and will then proceed to Spokane.

Andrew Glarner, California's champion middle distance, spent yesterday in Victoria on his return from Seattle to San Francisco. Glarner holds the world's record for 900 yards outdoor, and the half mile and 660 yards in

door. In the recent meet at Seattle, the Southern Idol failed to make a showing as he was suffering greatly from an injured ankle.

ANDREW GLARNER
VISITS CITY

Andrew Glarner, of the Olympic Club of San Francisco, arrived in the city yesterday on his return trip from Seattle to the Golden Gate.

Glarner is one of the best runners at the middle distances in the world today, and some of his past performances are still marvelled at by followers of track athletics.

The Southern Idol holds the world's record for the 900 yards outdoor, being credited with doing this distance at the Berkeley oval on April 11th, 1908, in the world's record time of 2:01 2-5, breaking all previous marks for this distance. On February 5th of this year Glarner broke Melvin Sheppard's record for the half mile indoors, doing the distance in 2:00 2-5 clipping two seconds off Sheppard's record. Glarner is a Frenchman born and raised in France, and most of his achievements have been done in Frisco, where he is the best in his class; the Frenchman is also a good soccer player, having held down the position of half back on various Southern teams during recent years.

In the recent meet at Seattle, Glarner made a poor showing, but he was seriously disabled, having sprained his ankle training shortly before the big meet, which rendered him little better than useless.

The Olympian enjoyed his stay in Victoria immensely, and although he was here only a short time, he made the statement that Victoria was the prettiest city that he ever visited.

Football in Scotland
Glasgow, Aug. 18.—In the Scottish Football League Association matches today the following were the results: Rangers 3, Kilmarnock 0; Clyde 3, Motherwell 1; Morton 2, Partick Thistle 1.

BRIGHT ENGLISH
SPORT GOSSIP

Kent and Lancashire Level in
the Cricket
Tourney

Kent have at length drawn level with Lancashire in the county cricket championship, and with Yorkshire treading on the heels of the joint leaders, the finish of the competition can hardly fail to be attractive. During the last five or six weeks Kent have effected a wonderful improvement in their record. On June 19th they had played four matches, lost two and drawn three, since that time they have played eight games, of which they have won seven and drawn one. Probably no other eleven have enjoyed such a spell of success, and there is ground for the belief which exists among many good judges that Kent will regain the championship.

At the professional punting meeting at Maidenhead, over a distance of one mile with one turn, Haines (Old Windsor) was beaten by F. Nicholas (Egham), which was a big surprise. Nicholas has competed for the championship for many years, but his only previous win was in 1902, when W. Haines did not start. Haines, who is a veteran of 41 years of age, was beaten by Abel Beesley in his first championship race in 1890, but since that date he has not lost a championship until this year. Altogether he has been champion ten times.

Queensland have refused to join in the proposed financial scheme which is being organized in Australasia to take R. E. Walker to the colonies after his tour, and no reply is expected from South Australia. The New South Wales A. A. A. cannot see their way to extend an invitation, fearing that the share likely to be chargeable to that state will be more than they can bear, but says the Sydney Referee, if New Zealand and Victoria say "Yes," New South Wales will join hands in the movement.

Now that the first half of the flat racing season is over it is interesting to review the doings of the horses which were brought from the United States to race on the English courses. The Americans have not gained many of the prizes offered by the executives of the racecourses, although they have shown one or two good horses, whose performances have been quite good. Notably Mediant, the Stewards' Cup winner. Several of the American contingent now belong to owners who have raced regularly in England for some time, and it is only necessary to record the doings of Sir Martin and Edward, trained by J. Cannon, and those under the charge of Joyner and S. Darling. These trainers have the majority of horses—mostly in American ownership—in their stables. As far as can be traced, fifty of these have run 174 times. Sixteen only have proved successful. They have won between them 27 races, worth about \$36,000, although the aggregate value of the stakes they made efforts to win falls little short of \$400,000.

How unlucky Mr. Fairlie is in not having his name handed down to posterity as the owner of the Two Thousand Guineas and Derby winner of 1909 was still further proved by the very easy victory of Bayardo in the Duchess of York Stakes at Hurst Park. There were only three starters, but as Bayardo's opponents were Perela, the Oaks winner, and Valens, who finished just in front of Mr. Fairlie's colt in the Derby, one has little cause of complaint. Bayardo centered home. The verdict was two lengths, but Maher could have made it a dozen had he chosen. Valens was second. The result will make very little difference in the Leger market. It is quite safe to foretell that Bayardo will go on and remain a very hot favorite to the day of the race. He will probably only be reserved for the Doncaster race, as the only engagement he has in the interim is the Brokers' St. Leger at Derby, but as the race will be decided the week before Doncaster, it is unlikely that he will be sent to Derby. There can be no doubt that he has regained the superiority he showed last year over all his own age.

VICTORIANS LOSE
CRICKET MATCH

Seattle and Calgary Play Great
Game in Mainland
Tourney

Vancouver, Aug. 18.—In the third day's play of the International Cricket tournament some of the finest and most exciting matches of the series were played. Great interest was taken in the Seattle-Calgary match. Seattle were the first to bat and piled up 152 runs, but Calgary came right back with 144 runs for their first innings (only 8 runs behind). It was at this stage that Lucas Bowling for Calgary, saved the day by taking 7 wickets for a total of only 29 runs. Seattle made 59 runs for their second innings. With only 40 minutes before time would be called Calgary went to bat for their second and for 2 wickets piled up 73 runs, winning the match by 5 runs.

In the Victoria-Vancouver match Victoria were all out for their first innings with only 89 runs and the Vancouverers piled up a record score of 380 runs for 8 wickets. W. E. Hodges established a new record for the province by scoring 124 runs not out. Time was called at 6:30, the Vancouverers batting for over four hours.

\$50,000 REFUSED FOR
JEFFRIES-JOHNSON FIGHT

Chicago, Aug. 18.—Sam Berger, Jeffries' manager, will leave for California today to see Jim Coffroth and Tommy Carey, the Western fight promoters, about bids for the Jeffries-Johnson fight for the championship of the world. Hugh McIntosh, the Australian promoter, who promoted the Johnson-Burns fight at Sydney, has written Berger he will offer \$50,000 for the battle, but reserves the right to stage the fight in either England or Australia. Berger said last night Jeffries wants to fight in this country, and unless McIntosh agreed to stage the fight in this country his bid will not be considered.

MICHIGAN ASSASSIN IS
HEAVY THESE DAYS

New York, Aug. 18.—Training quarters have been prepared for Stanny Ketchel, and when he arrives here the latter part of this week from California he will start work at once in taking off weight for his ten-round bout with Sam Langford in September. There may be a serious hitch in the arrangements because of the matter of weight. Langford says that he will weigh about 155 pounds at 6 o'clock. Ketchel, now weighs 185 pounds and as he intends to weigh at least 170 pounds when he fights Jack Johnson in October, it is not believed that he will want to go below that weight for Langford, as he would have to rebuild quickly for the Johnson fight.

The Fairmont Athletic Club insists that there will be no interference in its effort to produce the fight here. The club is protected by a supreme court injunction, which restrains the police from entering the building.

DETROIT BALL PLAYER
MAKES RECORD THROW

Washington, Aug. 18.—C. Schmidt of the Detroit baseball team, yesterday threw a ten-cent baseball from Vermont avenue, in front of the Arlington, over the eight-story Shoreham hotel, which faces on Fifteenth street. He took a run, and the ball went up until it disappeared over the roof line of the hotel. It was later found in Fifteenth street. Whether it cleared the building entirely or bounced from the roof to the street is not known, but it was a record throw, for the distance from where Schmidt stood on Fifteenth street is nearly 400 feet.

PAINTERS AND PLUMBERS
PLAN PLEASANT PICNIC

Next Saturday is the day of rest for the hard working and energetic painters and plumbers of the city, who will quit work for the day and retire to the beautiful picnic grounds at Sidney for a day of real recreation. There will be very little paint brushes used and the leaky water pipes will be neglected, for the two bodies of mechanics from the apprentices to the full-fledged journeymen are off for a good time.

The banner attraction of the day will be the big baseball game between the Plumbers and Painters, which should be very closely contested as both representative lines have strong lineups.

The afternoon programme will be confined to field sports that will include hundred dashes open to the trade and also a separate century sprint for apprentices.

Big Charlie Phipps, the North Ward athlete who is a knight of the brush, announces that in the evening there will be a soccer football match between the two trade unions; Phipps says that he will wager a side of bacon to a bowl of mush that the paint flingers will win out in this event no matter what else they lose.

No matter how much rivalry there seem to be between the painters and plumbers on the athletic field, it is safe to say that they will join hands to make the big day on Saturday one of the greatest events in the history of the city.

Newport Tennis Postponed.

Newport, R. I., Aug. 17.—Weather conditions were unfavorable for the opening of the twenty-ninth annual tournament of the United States Lawn Tennis Association on the Casino courts. The national championship challenge match in doubles between Hackett and Alexander, of New York, the title holders, and Jones and McLoughlin, of San Francisco, the challengers, was postponed until 11 a. m. today. A heavy rain yesterday afternoon caused the postponement of the opening event today.

A new weed, supposedly brought in seeds by birds from the south, infests Columbia County, Pa., fields, and is destroying alfalfa.

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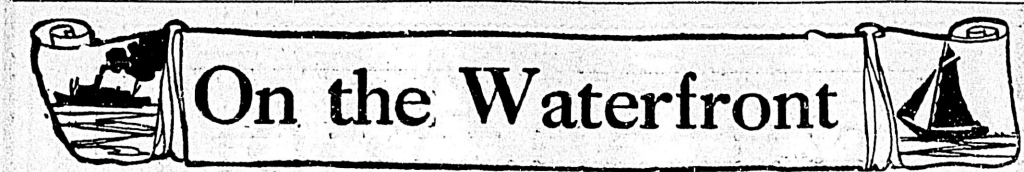
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JUDGMENT IN CHEHALIS CASE

Text of Finding of the Privy Council in the Long-drawn Out Suit

FAVORS THE C. P. R. FERRY STEAMER

Interesting Points Dealt With by the Lords of the Privy Council

The judgment given in favor of the steamer Princess Victoria in the appeal before the Privy Council with regard to the suit brought by R. H. Bryce, since deceased, against the C. P. R., on account of the Princess Victoria-Chehalis collision off Brockton point, Vancouver, was as follows:

(Delivered by Lord Gorell)

The appellants in this case are the Canadian Pacific Railway Company, the owners of the steamship Princess Victoria which came into collision with or near the Parthia Shoal off Brockton Point near Vancouver at about 2.20 on the 21st July, 1907, with the steamer Chehalis, and in consequence the latter vessel sank, and some of her passengers and crew were drowned. Six actions were afterwards brought in the Supreme Court of British Columbia against the appellants by certain passengers and members of the crew of the Chehalis or their personal representatives, the latter claiming for loss of life and personal injuries and loss of effects, on the alleged ground that the collision was caused by the negligent navigation of the Princess Victoria.

The appellants denied that the collision was caused or contributed to by any negligence in the navigation of the Princess Victoria.

The actions were consolidated and tried in February, 1907, before Mr. Justice Martin, the local Judge in Admiralty for British Columbia, assisted by two nautical assessors, and on the 22nd May, 1907, he rendered judgment in favor of the Chehalis, and the result of the judgments was that he could not recover, and he has not appealed against this decision.

The facts are simple, and it is difficult to understand why the trial should have lasted so long as it did. A twin-screw steamship of 1343 tons gross register, left the wharf on the south side of Vancouver Harbor bound to Victoria, with passengers, mails, and baggage, and a crew of about 100 hands, at about 2.05 p. m. on the day of the collision. The weather was fine and clear. A strong tide about two hours' flood was setting to the eastward through the Narrows of Burrard Inlet. The Princess Victoria proceeded at a speed of about 14 knots through the water, between Burnaby Shoal and Brockton point, and rounded the point at about 2.15 p. m. as the Chehalis was passing the Narrows.

The Chehalis was a small screw tug of about 45 tons register, with a crew of six hands, House being her master. She left the wharf at Vancouver about 1.20 p. m. with passengers, and, after rounding the point at Burnaby, she went up some more passengers, left that place at about 2.05 p. m. bound to the westward through the Narrows of Burrard Harbor. House was in charge, and was at the wheel in a closed wheel-house, steering, giving such orders as were required by the master to the crew, and keeping the look-out. There was no one else on the look-out. The Chehalis proceeded at about nine knots through the water down the inlet, being steered by the land and not by any compass course.

The appellants' case was that, after rounding the point at Burnaby, the Chehalis was steered so as to pass to the northward of a steam launch and to the southward of the Chehalis, which was then proceeding on the starboard bow of the Princess Victoria some distance off on a course nearly parallel to that of the Princess Victoria, that two blasts were then sounded on the Princess Victoria to indicate that she was intending to pass to the southward of the Chehalis, but that the Chehalis suddenly came off to port towards the Princess Victoria, causing a risk of collision; that thereupon both engines of the Princess Victoria were put in full speed astern, and her helm hard-a-starboard, and that

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By Government Wireless.

Cape Lazo, 8 a.m.—Clear and calm. Bar. 30.05, temp. 61. Sea smooth. No shipping.

Point Grey, 8 a.m.—Clear and calm. Bar. 30.06, temp. 67. Sea smooth. No shipping.

Tatoosh, 8 a.m.—Clear, wind southeast. Bar. 30.05, temp. 56. Sea smooth. In. four-masted schooner, at 9 p.m. U.S. cruisers West Virginia, California, South Dakota and Maryland, 4.55 a.m.; steamer Watson, 5.05 a.m. Out, steamer, Admiral Sampson 5.50 a.m.

Estevan, 8 a.m.—Clear, calm. Bar. 30.05, temp. 56. Sea smooth. Steamer Aki Maru about 300 miles out from here, 8 a.m.

Pachena, 8 a.m.—Clear, calm. Bar. 30.05, temp. 56. Sea smooth. No shipping.

Cape Lazo, noon—Clear, calm. Bar. 30.12, temp. 64. Sea smooth. Steamer Cowichan southbound at 11 a.m.

Point Grey, noon—Clear, wind northwest. Bar. 30.07, temp. 54. Sea smooth. No shipping.

Pachena, noon—Clear, wind northwest. Sea smooth. Tees westbound, 11.30 a.m. Steamer Aki Maru 80 miles out at noon.

Estevan, noon—Overcast, and rain. Bar. 29.98, temp. 57. Sea smooth. Two-masted American schooner flying signals that cannot be made out at 11 a.m.

Tatoosh, noon—Clear, north west wind. Bar. 30.05, temp. 64. Sea smooth. No shipping.

The Chehalis came rapidly to the southward, and, although she ported at the last moment, she struck the starboard bow of the Princess Victoria and afterwards sank, and 7 persons were drowned. Broadly stated, the case on the other side was that the Chehalis was proceeding on her course out of the Narrows, and that, after she had passed Brockton Point, her master heard a whistle behind him, and on looking through a stern window, he saw the Chehalis, and the Princess Victoria coming down on him, that he saw she was coming right into him, and that he threw his helm hard-a-port and gave a short blast of the whistle, but that in a few seconds the Princess Victoria struck his vessel.

The main question in the case was purely one of fact, viz., whether the Chehalis starboarded or was improperly allowed to swing over to port across the course of the Princess Victoria, or whether the latter vessel came too close to the Chehalis and ran into her, or was allowed to be sheered into her by the tide.

The learned judge who tried the case and saw the witnesses accepted the account of the officers of the Princess Victoria as being substantially correct. He found that, beyond doubt, there was ample room for her to have passed between the launch and the Chehalis, and in the course of his judgment said: "I am satisfied that the officers in the pilot house of the Princess did not keep a proper and continuous look-out and that at the time the two vessels were blown she, having just then freed herself from the anticipation of any danger from the launch, came to the Chehalis, which had caused a momentary but material deviation from her course, and she steamed on a course W. by N. 1/2 N., within a quarter of a point, so as to just clear Prospect Point and take her straight down the Narrows, which was roughly parallel to that of the Chehalis. Had these respective courses and speeds been maintained, there was at that time no reason to anticipate any danger of collision, though the courses would probably have ultimately converged. But I find from the evidence that the Chehalis, or immediately thereafter, the Chehalis suddenly altered her course at least three to four points from west to southward, thus bringing herself across the bows of the Princess. I have very little, if any, doubt that it was owing to the fact that Captain House, as he was called, was in a hurry to get to the point, and I believe he was startled when he heard the signal and made a wrong movement of his wheel at a critical moment in the strong tide. There must have been something of the kind, for House did not take the position that he was thrown out of his course by an unforeseen accident or error, but that the Princess Victoria had not committed a breach of any of the regulations for preventing collisions in Canadian waters, which are similar to those made under the Imperial Act, though the statutory sanction is different (see sec. 915 of Regulations for the Prevention of Collisions, 113, and sec. 415 (4) of the Merchant Shipping Act, 1894). In particular upon the point which appears to have been much discussed, that is to say, whether the Princess Victoria had broken Article 25 of the regulations—the narrow channel rule—he stated that, having regard to the relative positions of the two vessels after the Princess Victoria had rounded the point, the mid-channel course which she took was the only proper one for her to take as a matter of good seamanship, as he was advised, consistent with her own safety, and it was not the duty of the Chehalis to expect her to have gone to the north of the Chehalis, already on the northerly course, and under her stern.

On the appeal to the Full Court the Chief Justice differed from the finding of fact by Martin, J., that the Chehalis altered her course across the bows of the Princess Victoria, and he considered that that vessel was to blame under Article 22, 23, 24 and 25 of the regulations. Clement, J., held that he could not, having due regard to the principles which should guide an appellate tribunal in reviewing a judgment as to matters of fact, say that the learned judge was wrong in finding Captain House to blame, a guilty of contributory negligence; but he held that the Princess Victoria had broken Article 25, and that that was the larger inducing cause of the catastrophe. Irving, J., supported the judgment on all grounds.

There are two different matters to consider in this case. The first is, what were the facts? and the second, upon the facts, whether either or both of the vessels were to blame?

Their lordships consider that the facts appear to have been very fully and carefully investigated by Martin, J., with the assistance of assessors, and that no adequate ground has been shown for an appellate court to take a different view of the facts from that taken by the learned judge. He had the great advantage of seeing and hearing the witnesses, and unless it could be shown that he had

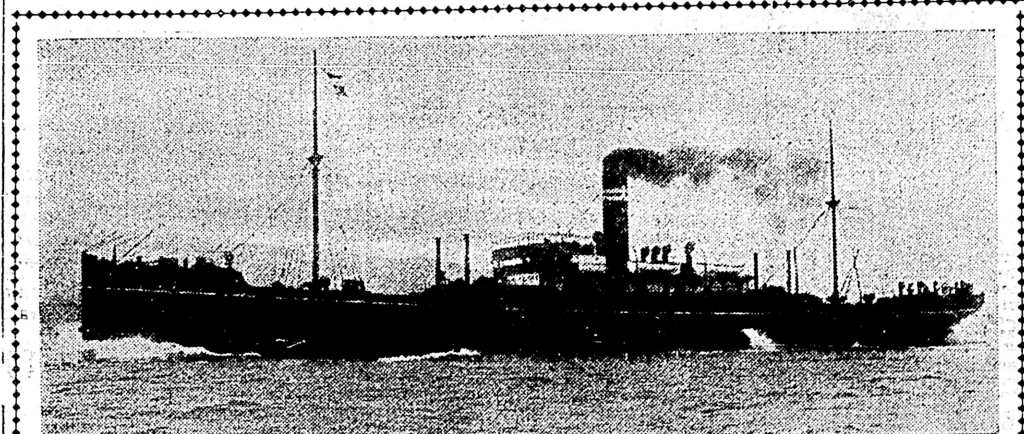
taken a mistaken or erroneous view of the facts, or acted under some misapprehension, or clearly came to an unreasonable decision as to the facts, he should stand in a position with well-recognized principles, be overruled on matters of fact which depended mainly upon the credibility of the witnesses.

An examination of the evidence in this case shows that, not only was the learned judge entitled to come to the conclusions of fact at which he arrived, but that the weight of the evidence is in favor of those conclusions, and that the real cause of this unfortunate collision was that there was no adequate look-out kept on board the Chehalis, and that her master was unaware of the presence of the Princess Victoria until she was about to pass him, and, in consequence, put her helm to starboard, or allowed his vessel, which had just entered that part of the Narrows where he began to feel the full effect of the tide, to fall off her course towards the Princess Victoria. Broadly speaking, there can hardly be the least doubt that, if House had seen and heard the Princess Victoria, he would have been aware of the presence of the Princess Victoria, the collision would never have happened. It seems almost incomprehensible that he should not have noticed her even before she rounded, and as she was rounding the point, unless he never looked anywhere except straight ahead of his vessel.

The finding of the learned judge upon this point really makes an end of the case, but it is desirable to deal briefly with the other points made on this appeal.

It was urged that the Princess Victoria broke Article 22 of the regulations, and Article 24 is the overtaking rule. The 24th article is that which was applicable, for the Princess Victoria was an overtaking ship, but the charge is disposed of by the finding that there was ample room for the Princess Victoria to pass the Chehalis, and that there would have been no collision but for the improper action of the Chehalis and her breach of Article 21, according to which she was bound to keep her course and speed.

Article 25 is the narrow channel rule, which provides that "in narrow chan-



Steamer Tacoma Maru reported returning with her rudder disabled

Port Townsend, Aug. 18.—The Japanese steamship Tacoma Maru, first of the new fleet of the Osaka Kaisha to visit Puget Sound, and which sailed for Yokohama August 14th, was reported returning with a disabled rudder yesterday afternoon.

And an inspection of the damage will be made upon arrival here, and repairs made at Tacoma.

The Tacoma Maru sailed from Tacoma at noon on Saturday, with 4,000 tons of freight and twenty-nine Japanese stowage passengers on her first voyage from the Sound to Oriental ports. Included in the cargo were sixty carloads of machinery, fourteen cars of tobacco, two hundred barrels of pork, with a large consignment of lumber and general freight.

The mouth of the Fraser where she has been working for some time and has gone to Chemainus where she will work on the deepening of the harbor until the close of the fishing season.

PRINCESS ROYAL WENT CLOSE TO GLACIER

Steamed Within 150 Yards of Foster Glacier in Taku Inlet on Way South

The steamer Princess Royal, Capt. W. O. Hughes, of the C.P.R., returned yesterday morning from Skagway and way ports with 155 passengers. Among the arrivals were Clarence Berry, the well known Klondike millionaire who took fortune from the claim located by him and his brother on Bonanza creek in the days of the Klondike rush, and who now is engaged in the Tanana district. He and his family came from Fairbanks. S. H. Graves, president of the White Pass and Yukon railroad came from White Horse after inspecting the northern railway system. He left the steamer at Vancouver. H. McKinnon, president of the pulp mills at Swanson Bay returned from the mills. H. Chandler, and family, came from Atlin. Prof. Meyer and several other eastern educationists who went north to view the glaciers returned by the liner. Among the passengers on the trip were several hunters bound to the Stikine country who went up the river on the Fort Simpson, and a New York attorney, assistant to W. T. Jerome, who, with his wife and family, embarked at Juneau bound to Kadiak on a bear-hunting trip.

On this trip the Princess Royal steamed closer to the Taku Inlet glacier than ever before and afforded the big throng of passengers on board a most interesting sight. After making the usual call at Juneau she proceeded to Taku Inlet where the Foster Glacier with its rugged ridge of ice and snow, as estimated by the summer sun, afforded a magnificent sight. The Princess Royal was brought through the field of float ice, past some big bergs, to an anchorage within 150 yards of the face of the big glacier. After the mountain of ice had been viewed the steamer was shifted to a position opposite where the wide moraine, a great ice-field, reached the sea like a frozen river and waterfalls.

News was brought by the Princess Royal that the stern-wheel steamer Omineca, built for the Grand Trunk Pacific, had reached Prince Rupert and was at anchor there when the steamer called southbound. The steamer Port Simpson was making her last trip up the Stikine and is returning to the Skeena. Mrs. Jackson, wife of the captain, was a passenger to Prince Rupert on the Princess Royal.

SAILOR RESCUED ON ALASKAN COAST

Steamer Princess Ena Picked Up Unfortunate Bluejacket Left Behind by Destroyer

Left behind by the U. S. torpedo destroyer Hopkins when the flotilla, which visited Victoria last week, left Skagway, J. N. Ross, a seaman of the fighting ship, made a desperate effort to join his vessel and failed, being left marooned on the wild northern shore, line near Haines where he was found by the steamer Princess Ena of this city and rescued. When the steamer Princess Ena, Captain Gunns, was passing the signals of the castaway were seen.

Capt. Gunns approached as near shore as possible, then summoned the gasoline launch Hegg, which was just leaving Haines. The Hegg brought Ross to Skagway, where he is now confined to bed.

Ross missed the fleet when it left Skagway (Wednesday night two weeks ago). He knew the flotilla would stop at Haines and he inquired if he could not walk there and catch the fleet. Some one told him that he could and directed him down the east shore of Ross to Skagway, where he was confined to bad when the Princess Ena sailed.

Ross walked all night Wednesday and pushed ahead Thursday, making slow progress over the slippery rocks along the beach line. He realized Thursday night that he had been misled, but he was so weak that he knew he could not retrace his steps, so he pushed ahead, hoping to find some settlement.

Friday he fell over the cliff and

reached port yesterday morning from Naas and way ports of northern British Columbia.

After the steamer disembarked the throng of Indians and Chinese at Port's wharf yesterday morning, the ground near the wharf looked like a populous Siwash encampment after the Indians had unloaded their "ictas." The steamer brought a part cargo of salmon from the North. There were twenty salmon passengers, including Mr. and Mrs. Drew, who made the round trip; H. Webster, from the R. I. C. canyery; Mrs. Mike King and family, returning from Campbell River; A. F. Lloyd, J. Robertson, from Kitamaat, and H. Phillips from Alert Bay.

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The B. C. Electric Railway Company's Privileges Bylaw, 1909, and the Water Loan Guarantee Bylaw, 1909.

I hereby give notice that such of the electors of the Municipality of the City of Victoria as are entitled to vote on a Bylaw for raising money upon the credit of the Municipality, are requested to attend at the polling place, known as the Old Fire Hall, in the City Hall building, Pandora street, of the said Municipality, on Thursday, the 26th day of August, 1909, from 9 a. m. to 7 p. m., and to record their votes for or against the passage of the B. C. Electric Railway Company's Privileges Bylaw, 1909, and the Water Loan Guarantee Bylaw, 1909, copies of which bylaws are published in the Victoria Daily Colonist, and copies whereof are posted up at the City Hall and in each Ward and at the polling place.

And take notice that each Bylaw must be voted on separately, and that the B. C. Electric Railway Company's Privileges Bylaw, 1909, will not be valid or of any effect unless the vote polled in favor thereof be at least three-fifths of the vote polled, and that the Water Loan Guarantee Bylaw 1909, will not be valid unless a majority of the votes polled are in favor thereof.

WM. W. NORTHOTT, Returning Officer.

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Each proposal must be accompanied by an accepted bank cheque or cash deposit on a chartered bank of Canada, made payable to the Hon. the Minister of Public Works, in the sum of two hundred dollars, which shall be forfeited if the party tendering declines to enter into contract when called upon to do so, or if he fails to complete the work contracted for. The cheques or certificates of deposit of the tenderers will not be returned to them upon the execution of the contract. Tenders will not be considered unless made out on the form supplied, and with the actual signature of the tenderer, and enclosed in the envelopes furnished.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

F. C. GAMBLE, Public Works Engineer, Victoria, B. C., 4th August, 1909.

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the Reserve existing on the lands embraced in special Timber License No. 23,290, situated on Gambler Island, New Westminster District, is cancelled.

ROBT. A. RENWICK, Deputy Commissioner of Lands, Department of Lands, 14th July, 1909.

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STEAMER SUNK IN COLLISION

Daniel Kern Foundered After Being Run Into by George W. Elder on the Columbia River

Astoria, Ore., Aug. 18.—The steamers George W. Elder and Daniel Kern, were in collision on the Columbia river this morning. The latter vessel was immediately sunk, and a slight panic prevailed on the George W. Elder while her crew was rescuing those who managed to escape from the sunken ship. No one was injured in the collision and the men of the Kern were picked up by the Elder's small boats. A bad hole was stove in the Elder's

bow plates, about a foot and a half above the water line. The Elder came slowly down to this port for repairs. According to Capt. Jensen and others of the Elder, the fault of the accident lies with the Daniel Kern.

The Kern was assembling three rock barges preparatory to bringing them down to a jetty and had her searchlights playing across the stream. The Elder came to and twice gave the signal to pass with no response from the Kern in either instance. The Elder was upon the other steamer before her officers knew what the Kern was intending to do. She rammed the Kern amidships almost cutting her in two. The Kern began settling at once and sank in about 50 feet of water, her topmasts showing.

The Elder narrowly averted a collision with the barges. This is the second time the Kern has been at the bottom of the river, and once the Elder also lay in the waters of the Columbia river for many months.

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Captain of Genevieve Molinos Reports Using Oil With Good Effect During Gales

The French bark Genevieve Molinos, which has arrived at Seattle, 155 days from Antwerp, had a trying time in storms encountered off Cape Horn. Captain Delignac said: "From the time we left Cherbourg we had rough weather almost continuously until we reached the southeast trades in the Pacific. Off Cape Horn I never saw such terrific weather, where for several days we were pounded by terrible seas and attacked by furious gales. Time and time again I worked the ship around Cape Horn into the Pacific, only to be blown back. From latitude 50 in the Atlantic to the same in the Pacific, it

required thirty-five days of constant battling with the elements.

"In latitude 30 south, in the Atlantic, my main lower topgallant yard carried away, and the weather was so bad it was impossible to repair it until we reached the trades in the Pacific. The loss of this yard and sail added to our troubles. Then the machine by which the rudder is controlled was carried away by the seas off Cape Horn, and this also proved a serious affair. It was so tempestuous off Cape Horn that I used oil with good effect several times.

"Fortunately, none of my crew was injured, but considerable damage was done about the deck. The boat covers were blown off, the boats were broken by the seas, and many sails were carried away. Off the Horn the seas were so high that they broke over the poop deck, breaking our steering apparatus, smashing in the skylight, filling the cabin, and doing other damage. We encountered no ice."

Prior to sailing last fall from the Sound, with wheat, Captain Delignac made a wager with Captain Tonnerson of the Norwegian ship Clyde. The Frenchman put to sea October 2, and the Clyde October 3. Neither ship sighted the other during the long passage, but they arrived at Queenstown within half an hour of each other, the Genevieve Molinos winning by a narrow margin. The Frenchman was 123 days en route, and the Clyde 122 days, these being two of the best runs of last season's fleet.

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Cold Lunch
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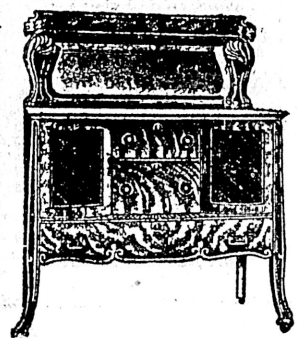
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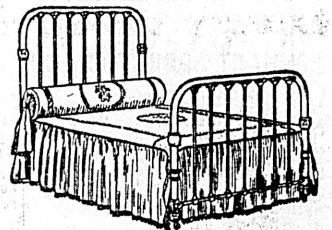
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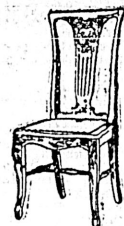
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